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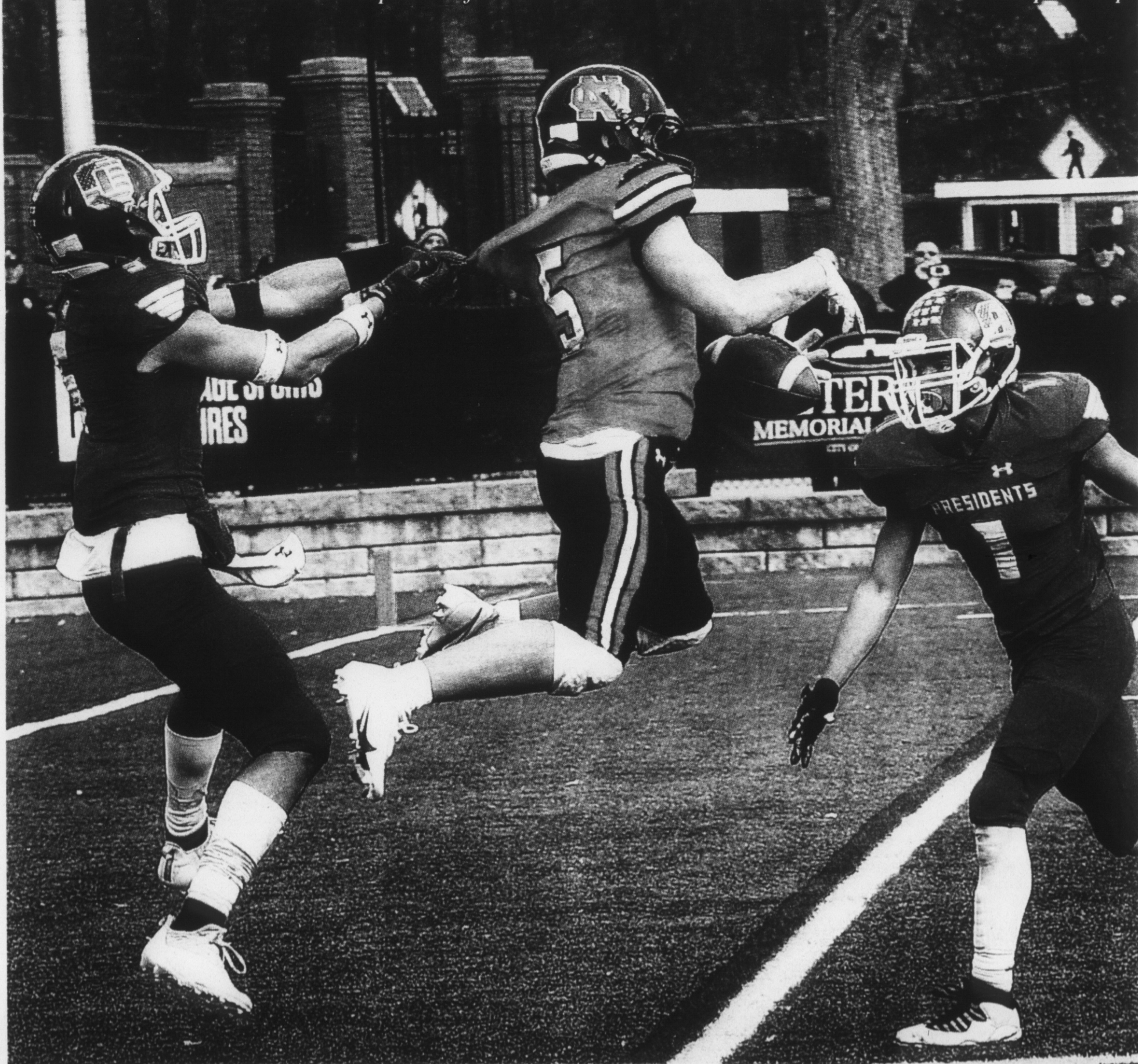
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THE CATCH at THE GAME

Nate Caldwell's 10-Yard TD Reception Lifts Raiders Over Presidents In 89th Football Championship



HOLIDAY HERO – North Quincy junior wide receiver Nate Caldwell splits two Quincy defenders (#5 Jacey Ham, left and #1 Jarod Walker, right) to catch a 10-yard touchdown pass from senior quarterback Cooper Hansen with 1:22 remaining in the 89th city football championship on Thanksgiving Day at Veterans' Memorial Stadium. Caldwell's touchdown gave the Raiders the lead for good in their dramatic come-from-behind victory over the Presidents. Caldwell also scored on a two-point conversion to give North a 15-12 lead which proved to be the final score. The Presidents had one final chance to take the lead late in the fourth quarter but two pass attempts into the end-zone fell incomplete. The victory marked the second win for North Quincy over Quincy this year. The Raiders defeated the Presidents 21-10 on April 11 in the 88th city football championship. That game was originally scheduled for Thanksgiving Day 2020 but was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. More coverage of The Game starts on Page 19.

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Heart Rate Training For Enhanced Cardiovascular Fitness

Practical Fitness With Wayne L. Westcott

By **WAYNE WESTCOTT**

Your heart is the fuel pump that works every second of your life to supply oxygen and energy to every cell in your body. Your heart is an incredible, non-fatiguing muscle that contracts approximately 108,000 times a day in un-fit individuals. In addition to being an essential, life-sustaining organ, your heart is an internal computer that provides meaningful information regarding exercise intensity and cardiovascular adaptations that result from aerobic activity.

For example, an average, non-exercising adult has a resting heart rate of about 75 beats per minute. Each heart beat represents contraction of the heart muscles that sends oxygen-rich blood throughout the body. Your resting heart rate is the floor level, or the slowest rate, at which your heart muscle contracts.

If you were running for your life, your heart rate would increase to its ceiling level, or the fastest rate at which your heart muscle contracts. This is called your maximum heart rate, and is generally estimated

by subtracting your age from 220. So, if you are 20 years old, your maximum heart rate is approximately 200 beats per minute. If you are 40 years old, your maximum heart rate is about 180 beats per minute. If you are 60 years old, your maximum heart rate is about 160 beats per minute. As you may have noted, your maximum heart rate decreases by about one beat per year throughout adult life. This is one reason why our aerobic ability declines as we age. Other reasons include a gradual narrowing of our arteries, and a gradual decline in our lung capacity and function.

Within our heart rate range (which is the difference between our resting heart rate and our maximum heart rate), there is a physical activity zone that corresponds to the most effective exercise intensity for improving our cardiovascular fitness. This optimal cardiovascular training zone is from 60 percent to 90 percent of your maximum heart rate, with 75 percent of maximum heart rate considered ideal for most practical purposes. For example, an

average 60-year old individual would have a maximum heart rate of about 160 beats per minute ($220 - 60 = 160$), and a training heart rate around 120 beats per minute ($160 \times 0.75 = 120$). Typically, it is recommended to exercise between 10 heart beats below to 10 heart beats above your training heart rate, which in this case would be from 110 to 130 beats per minute.

As your cardiovascular system becomes better conditioned, your heart becomes capable of pumping more blood each time it contracts, and therefore does not need to beat as frequently to supply your body's oxygen requirements. One indicator of your improved aerobic capacity is a lower heart rate during your standard exercise session. For example, if you start training with a 20-minute treadmill walk at 3.0 miles per hour, your exercise heart rate may be close to 130 beats per minute. After a few weeks of training, you may find that this pace feels much easier to maintain, and that your exercise heart rate is closer to 115 beats per minute. This reveals that beneficial

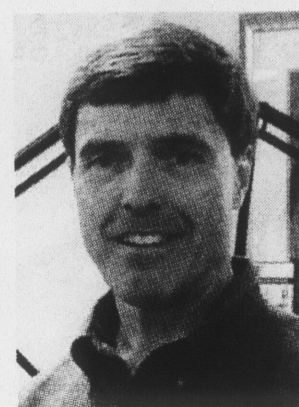
physiological adaptations have occurred within your cardiovascular system, and that you should increase your exercise intensity slightly to stimulate further aerobic improvements. For example, you could increase the treadmill speed to 3.2 miles per hour, or you could incline the treadmill track to a 1.0 percent grade.

Another indicator of your enhanced cardiovascular fitness is your resting heart rate. At rest, we all use about the same amount of oxygen per pound of body weight, which is why essentially everyone's body temperature is approximately 98.6 degrees. As your heart becomes stronger through appropriate endurance exercise, it pumps more oxygen-rich blood every contraction. Therefore, it will beat more slowly at rest (and at any sub-maximum exercise level). After a few months of training your resting heart rate may decrease by 10 to 20 beats per minute. So instead of contracting 75 times a minute (108,000 beats/day), it may contract only 60 times a minute (86,400 beats/day). Remarkably, your better conditioned heart saves about 22,000 contractions a day at rest. The slower heart rate gives your heart muscle more time to recover between

contractions, gives your heart chambers more time to fill with blood between contractions, and gives your heart tissue more time to receive its own oxygen supply between contractions.

In addition, to showing improvements in heart function and aerobic fitness, your resting heart rate provides excellent feedback about your recovery from exercise and related conditions. For example, let's say that your resting heart rate first thing in the morning is typically 60 beats per minute. If, on a given day, it is considerably higher than normal (for example, 70 beats per minute), this is an indication that your cardiovascular system is under some type of stress. While this may be related to psychological factors or illness, the typical physiological stressors include too much exercise (overtraining) and too little rest (not enough recovery time between training sessions or insufficient sleep). Whatever the cause, when your resting heart rate is elevated more than a few beats per minute, you should postpone or reduce your exercise activity until it returns to normal.

Checking your heart rate during exercise is an effective means for training at the most appropriate level of intensity for improving your cardiovascular fitness. Checking your heart rate



WAYNE WESTCOTT

upon awakening is an excellent habit for adjusting your training program to your present physiological condition and to reduce the risk of overtraining consequences. Generally, a 10-second pulse count (multiplied by 6) is sufficient during exercise, but I recommend 60-second pulse count to most accurately assess your resting heart rate in the morning.

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Friends Of Wollaston Beach Toy Drive, Open House Dec. 9

The public is invited to join the Friends of Wollaston Beach on Thursday, Dec. 9 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Hancock Tavern, 668 Hancock St., Wollaston, for the FWB Dick Herbert Memorial Toy Drive and Holiday Open House.

Last year, while unable to meet in person due to COVID-19, FWB members and friends kept the tradition alive by making their

donations directly to Interfaith Social Services.

For 2021, FWB invites members and the public to stop by and drop off new, unwrapped toys to be distributed to needy children through Interfaith Social Services.

Don't have time to shop? No problem. Gift cards and monetary donations are also appreciated. Checks can be dropped off at the Open House (or at Interfaith, 105 Adams St., Quincy), made payable to Interfaith Social Services with Friends of Wollaston Beach in the memo section. Enjoy a slice of pizza and engage in some quality time and good conversation.

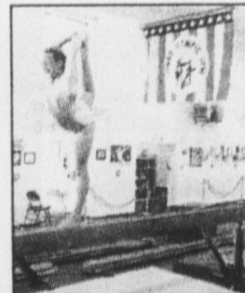
For further information, contact FWB President Maureen Mazrimas at 617-257-8295 or by email at FriendsWollastonBeach@gmail.com - or visit the FWB website at FriendsOfWollastonBeach.net.

"We hope to see you Dec. 9 to renew old acquaintances, get in the holiday spirit and help put a smile on the face of a child and his/her extended family. Happy Holidays!" said FWB President Maureen Mazrimas.

The Friends of Wollaston Beach is an organization promoting public use of Wollaston Beach, preserving and protecting the fragile ecosystems, and addressing the quality of life issues relating to the Beach.

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City Waiving Fees For Restaurants' Liquor Licenses

By SCOTT JACKSON

For the second year in a row, Quincy will not charge restaurants and other establishments a fee to renew their on-premises liquor licenses for the new year.

The Board of License Commissioners on Nov. 23 unanimously approved Mayor Thomas Koch's request to waive the renewal fee for all holders of on-premises liquor licenses for the year 2022.

During the meeting, Chris Walker, Koch's chief of staff, noted the board had agreed last year to waive the 2021 renewal fees for hold-

ers of on-premises liquor licenses to provide relief to restaurants and similar businesses impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. That was one of several steps the city took to help out restaurants, such as offering opportunities for expanded outdoor dining.

The state has allowed restaurants to operate at full capacity since late May, when Gov. Charlie Baker rescinded his emergency orders first put in place in March 2020. Bars that do not offer food service were

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80th Pearl Harbor Remembrance Dec. 7

By SCOTT JACKSON

The Quincy Veterans Council will hold a solemn ceremony on Dec. 7 to recognize the 80th anniversary of the Attack on Pearl Harbor.

The ceremony will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 7, at the World War II monument inside Mount Wollaston Cemetery. The monument, which is located on the Sea Street side of the cemetery, bears the names of the 255 Quincy residents killed during the war.

The public is invited to attend.

Quincy Veterans Council Commander Charles Hurd is organizing this observance ceremony on the 80th anniversary of Pearl Harbor Day because this is a "major milestone in history" in which to honor the

3,581 American casualties, including 2,403 killed and 1,178 wounded; and to remember the dwindling number of survivors of this unprovoked Japanese attack.

"The goal of the 80th commemoration observance is to ensure that future generations understand the valor and legacy of those who perished and all those who fought in World War II," Hurd said.

The United States declared war on Japan one day later on Dec. 8, 1941, following President Franklin D. Roosevelt's "Infamy" speech.

A collation will be held, immediately following the observance ceremony, at the Quincy American Legion Post #95 located at 500 Washington St. (rear).



HOMEcoming KING AND QUEEN for Quincy and North Quincy High School were introduced before kick off at the Quincy-North Quincy Thanksgiving Day football game at Veterans' Memorial Stadium. From left to right are North Quincy King Michael Colantonio, Quincy High School Queen Mia Heim and Quincy High School King Clayton Corley. Unable to attend the game was North Quincy High School Queen Rima Zahreddine. Corley was also one of four Quincy football captains and caught a touchdown pass in the game. He is the grandson of QHS Hall of Famer George Burke. Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Bosworth

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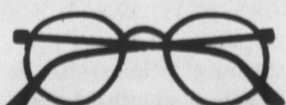
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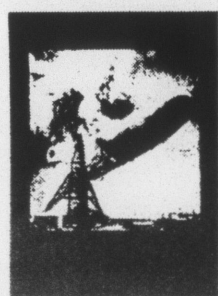
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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Dec. 14, 1799, President George Washington dies. Two days earlier, he rode out into freezing sleet to survey business affairs on his estate. He returned home late for dinner and refused to change out of his wet clothes. The next day he developed a severe respiratory infection and died the following day.

• On Dec. 16, 1811, the greatest series of earthquakes in U.S. history begins near New Madrid, Missouri, when an earthquake estimated at 8.6 magnitude slams the region. The quake raised and lowered parts of the Mississippi Valley by as much as 15 feet and changed the course of the Mississippi River.

• On Dec. 18, 1865, following its ratification by three-quarters of the states, the 13th Amendment is formally adopted into the U.S. Constitution, ensuring that "neither slavery nor involuntary servitude ... shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction."

• On Dec. 13, 1916, a powerful avalanche kills hundreds of Austrian soldiers in a barracks near Italy's Mount Marmolada. Over several days, avalanches killed an estimated 10,000 Austrian and Italian soldiers.

• On Dec. 17, 1961, a fire at a circus in Brazil kills more than 300 people and severely burns 500 more. The fire may have been caused by sparks from a train passing nearby. There were 2,500 people in attendance, and many were trampled.

• On Dec. 15, 1988, singer James Brown, the "Godfather of Soul," begins serving a six-year prison sentence in South Carolina. Already on probation, Brown's reckless spree on Sept. 24 resulted in numerous criminal charges, including assault and battery with intent to kill.

• On Dec. 19, 1998, the House of Representatives approves two articles of impeachment against President Bill Clinton, charging him with lying under oath to a federal grand jury and obstructing justice. Later, after being acquitted, Clinton said he was "sorry."

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The ancient Aztecs called this brilliant plant *cuetlaxochitl*, or "the flower that perishes like all that is pure." It was very highly esteemed, and used medicinally and in worship to their gods. Later, during the Spanish colonial period, the plant continued to be used during the religious feasts and holy days in southern Mexico, and was called *Flor de Nochebuena* (the Christmas Eve flower) by the monks. American diplomat Joel Poinsett brought samples of it from southern Mexico to his home in South Carolina, and it became popular as the "poinsettia" plant.

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- Brenda Weaver

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Son Beams

By ROBERT BOSWORTH

Remembering Joe Brill

Joe Brill was quintessential Quincy.

A ubiquitous community volunteer who was involved in many of the great organizations and traditions that make the city special.

A behind-the-scenes enthusiast of so many worthy projects and causes from local sports to veterans' initiatives. Ask him to help, and he'd answer yes before you finished the question.

He was a doer, not a joiner. He didn't join a club or cause to pad his resume; he got active and stayed active.

You wanted something done, Joe Brill was the go-to guy. Some causes he was front-and-center; others behind-the-scenes. Didn't matter - he always gave it his all.

The city is mourning the loss of this local legend and icon. Joe passed away unexpectedly on Thanksgiving Day.

I had the privilege of knowing Joe for quite a number of years and interviewing him several times. He always had a story to tell, a joke to share, and a twinkle in his eye. He was a one-man parade - always entertaining and enjoyable to be around.

Joe Brill was more than a strong thread in the community's fabric - he was the glue that kept so many important endeavors together.

He most recently took the reins of the Sons of the American Legion, Squadron 294, Morrisette Legion Post, succeeding past commander Paul Moody who had to step down due to health reasons.

As Squadron commander, Joe Brill performed admirably. He was a selfless leader who always put others first. He spearheaded the decorating of Flags for Veterans Island every spring and fall - 400 American flags that create a patriotic scene at the island for Memorial Day and Veterans Day.

He also boosted Squadron membership and backboned the selling of engraved bricks for the island which now stands at over 600. Funds raised by brick selling go right back to veterans causes.

Just as importantly Joe perpetuated the tradition of Memorial Day and Veterans Day observances at the island. He brought in inspiring guest speakers for the ceremonies who truly captured the spirit and meaning of both those sacred and significant days.

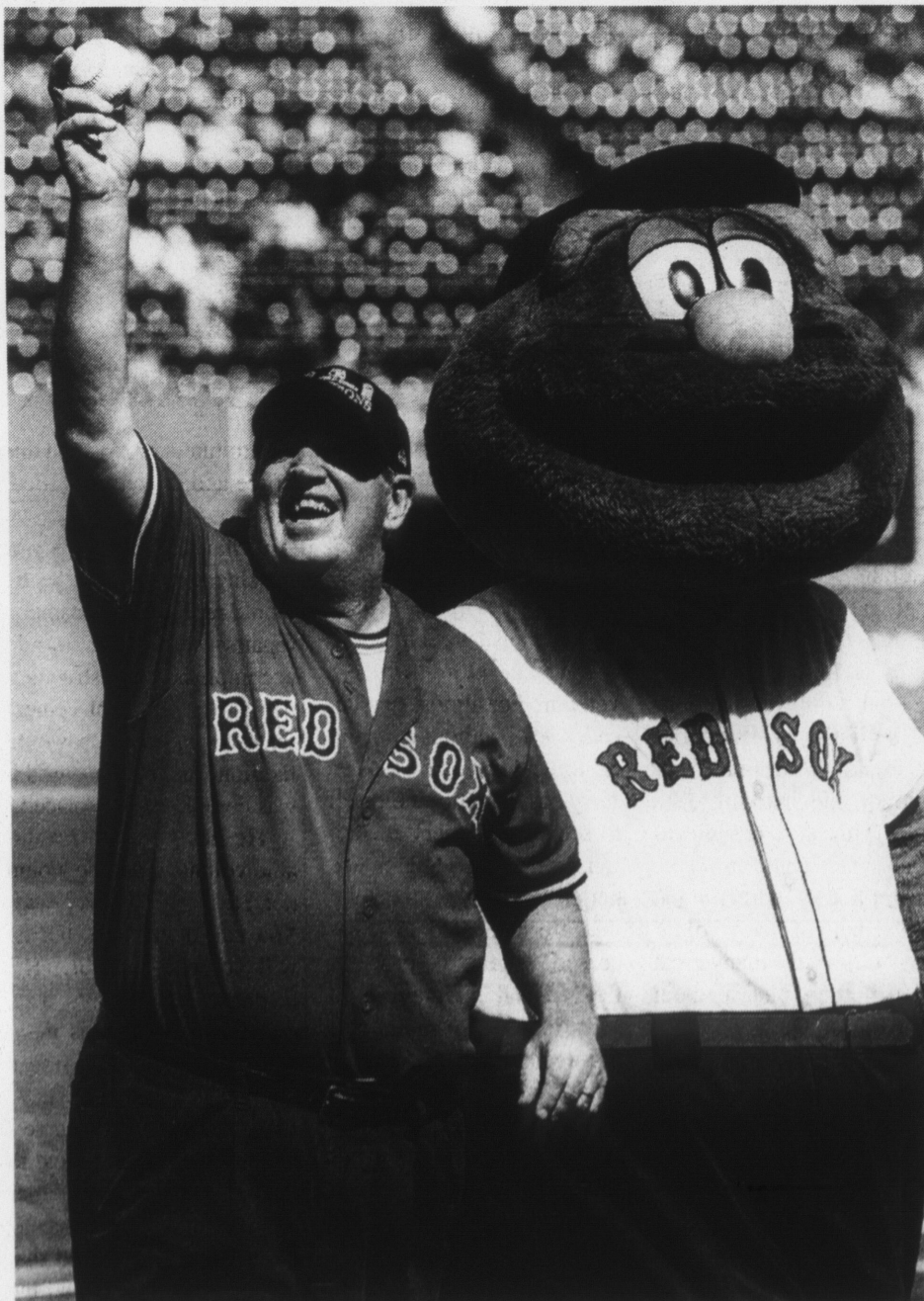
And he always made sure to thank those who have helped sustain the Squadron and maintain the island. At the Nov. 7th Veterans Day observance, the proud Navy veteran expressed his gratefulness to several folks who helped beautify the island this year. A portion of the island had been damaged after a motor vehicle drove on it. Among those receiving Joe's thanks was his beloved wife, Terry, a member of the Morrisette Ladies Auxiliary. She and the others all received a certificate of appreciation for their help and very kind words of thanks from Joe during the ceremony.

I don't think there was a happier person in Quincy than Joe Brill. He loved his



JOE BRILL, commander of the Sons of the American Legion, Squadron 294, Morrisette Legion Post, speaks at the Squadron's Veterans Day observance Nov. 7 at Flags for Veterans Island. Mr. Brill passed away on Thanksgiving Day. He is being remembered as a devoted community volunteer who helped a myriad of causes including veterans.

Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Bosworth



JOE BRILL and baseball were synonymous. He was a passionate fan of the Boston Red Sox who was present at Busch Stadium when the Red Sox won the World Series over the St. Louis Cardinals in 2004 - the team's first title in 86 years. On Sept. 15, 2013, Mr. Brill suffered a near fatal heart attack while attending the Red Sox-Yankees game at Fenway Park. He recovered and was invited by the Red Sox to return to the park in the fall of 2014 to throw out the ceremonial first pitch Sept. 10. Here Joe holds the ball he threw as he acknowledges fans and well wishes with Red Sox mascot Wally the Green Monster at his side.

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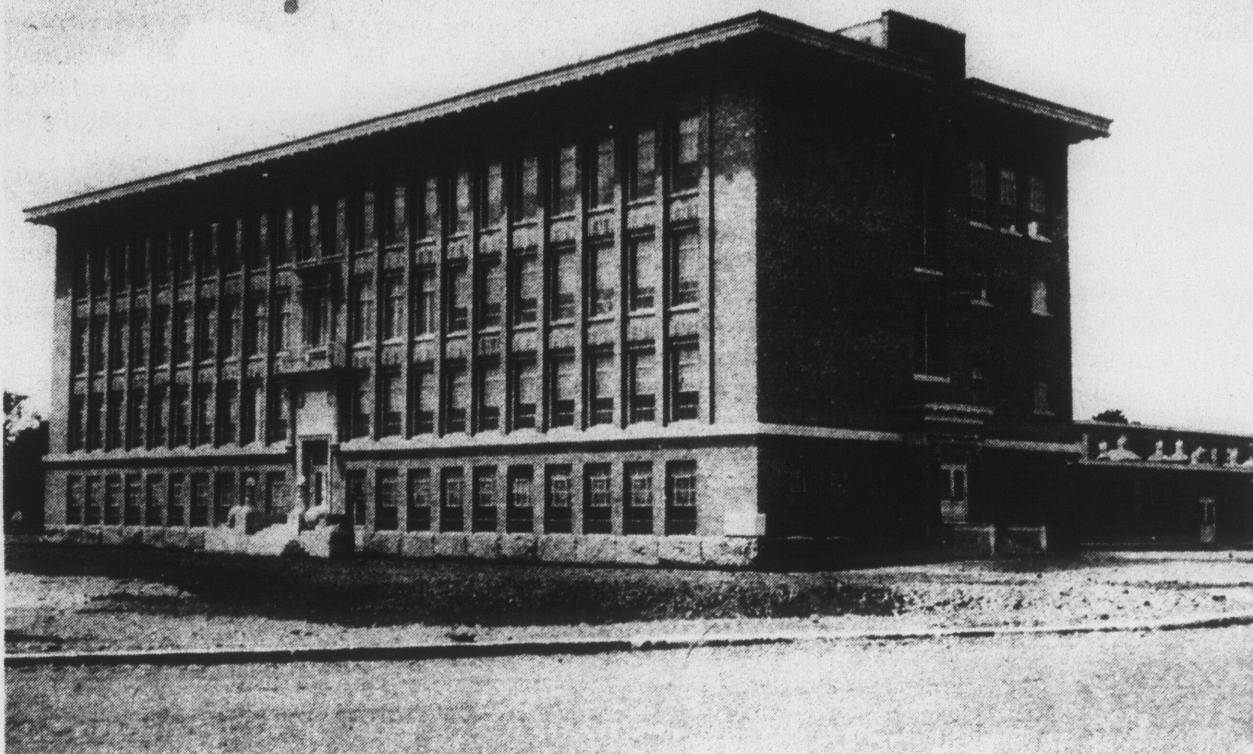
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Scenes From Yesterday



NORTH JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, ATLANTIC, MASS.

THIS 1926 postcard is a view of North Junior High in Atlantic just before it opened. Quincy had adopted the Junior High program in the early 1920s and had to build four junior high schools and a new high school to accommodate its fast growing student population. Previously the grammar schools were grades 1 to 8 and the one high

school was 9 to 12. This junior high school was grades 7 to 9 and began adding one high school grade each year in the early 1930s, with six grades here, two wings had been added to the building. In 1959, the seventh and eighth grades were moved to the new Atlantic Middle School leaving grades 9 - 12 here at North Quincy High School.

From the Tom Galvin Postcard Collection

Safford Park Tree Lighting Ceremony Friday

The Wollaston Hill Neighborhood Association, The Wollaston School PTO, and Ward 3 Councillor Ian Cain will host the 19th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at Safford Park Friday, Dec. 3rd beginning at 6 p.m.

Enjoy a fun sing-along

and hot chocolate at Safford Park, with a special appearance by Santa to help us illuminate Clara Yeomans's

tree - a beautiful centerpiece at the park. Visit www.WollastonHill.com for more information.

'Christmas On Top Of The Hill' Friday, Saturday

First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Wollaston, will hold its "Christmas on Top of the Hill" sale Friday, Dec. 3 from 5 to 8 p.m. and Satur-

day, Dec. 4 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The event will include a snack bar (take out only) featuring clam chowder, chili, meatball subs, veg-

etable and meat lasagna and chicken salad sandwiches.

There will also be silent auction and tables with jewelry, attic treasures, used toys, game, puzzles, books,

CDs, videos as well as home baked goods and a boutique and Christmas novelty items. Due to COVID, Santa will be unable to attend this year.

READERS FORUM

Quincy Veterans Services Salutes Jerry Mullen

Every year, as Veterans and Memorial Days approach and under the auspices of the Quincy Veterans Services Graves Registration Officer, the City of Quincy undertakes the effort to see that all of the over 8,000 veteran burial sites in our 7 cemeteries are identified and have our nation's flag marking each one. This is a monumental task that could never be accomplished without the regular help of many volunteers. One of the many great things that can be said about the City of Quincy is that when it comes to honoring and respecting our veterans, we have no shortage of volunteers.

Among these volunteers are some unsung heroes who go about these tasks without fanfare or acknowledgement. For some of these volunteers checking on the status of these graves and their flags is a labor of love that goes on all year long.

One such volunteer, whose work is noticed but

unheralded is Jerry Mullen.

Jerry Mullen is not a veteran himself, but the task he took on as his own personal project for the city, he does out of a great innate respect for veterans, including one of his own children who is a veteran. For almost two decades now, without compensation and on his own time, Jerry has committed himself to seeing that every memorial pole in the squares and neighborhoods of this city that are dedicated to a deceased veteran is properly flagged and maintained all year long. He maintains his own database on these poles and with ladder in hand, routinely checks the condition of each and every such pole and the flags that sit atop them. Jerry has also been a routine presence at almost every veterans' event in the City. He has dedicated himself and his availability to the Quincy Veterans Services Office and to the memorialization portion of the office mission.

His diligence, efforts and

commitment have saved this office and the city countless man hours of labor and costs. Any flag that was worn or missing atop these poles he would replace; any cosmetic repairs needed he would accomplish; any structural damage or pole replacement that was needed, he would facilitate and oversee until it was completed or replaced.

He has been an invaluable volunteer and he would not have it any other way. You can thank him, but he will accept no credit. His response has always been that honoring, in this manner, the memory of those Quincy veterans who have sacrificed their lives in service to their Country and to their City has been a labor of love for him and that he has always felt blessed that he has had the time and the ability to assume this task.

Sadly, I noticed that Jerry was missing from this year's Veterans Day ceremony. Time takes its toll on all of us, and I have learned that a

current illness has now curtailed Jerry's abilities and dedication. We can only hope and pray that he can win the battle to overcome this challenge. He is only one quiet, unassuming man who has seen a need and has addressed it. His contribution cannot be ignored, and the city is a better place because of it.

This city is so fortunate to have volunteers like Jerry Mullen. He is simply an outstanding example and personification of the kind of devotion to patriotism and patriotic ideals among our many volunteers for which the City of Quincy is best known. We owe a special thank you to him and to all of the Jerry Mullen's in our City, who, in their own volunteer efforts, make and keep Quincy a wonderful place in which to live and a place where, as a veteran, you know you will never be forgotten.

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Quincy's Yesterdays

This Week
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30 Years Ago

Sheets Proposes Higher Tax Rates

Reacting to a drop in property valuations in Quincy, Mayor James A. Sheets has recommended higher tax rates of \$12.05 per \$1,000 for residential property and \$26.59 per \$1,000 for commercial, industrial and personal property for FY 1992 to the City Council.

Homeowners and business owners will have a chance to comment on the mayor's tax classification recommendations at a public hearing Monday, Dec. 9 at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers in City Hall. After Monday's hearing the Council is expected to set the new rates at its Dec. 16 meeting.

Under the Mayor's proposal, residential taxes make up 76.53 percent of total valuations while C.I.P.P. taxes make up 23.46 percent of the total valuations.

PEARL HARBOR SURVIVORS: 'WE'LL NEVER FORGET IT'

"I'll never forget it. It started at 7:55 a.m. Sunday morning," Earl Kuja recalled. The nation observed the 50th anniversary of the Japanese "sneak" attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

The attack was launched from six Japanese aircraft carriers. The attack resulted in 2,403 deaths, with nearly 1,200 wounded.

Kuja, a sergeant with the Army's 34th Combat Engineers stationed at the Schofield Barracks, was one of six Quincy residents who were members of the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association.

"I was one of the lucky ones," Kuja said. "I made it, others didn't."

(Editor's Note: Four of the Japanese carriers that participated in the attack would be sunk by U.S. Naval forces at the Battle of Midway.)

QUINCYISMS

The Ordinance Committee of the City Council planned to discuss a Home Rule petition proposed by Councillor-at-Large **Patricia Toland** which would allow the person who had been the first runner-up in the previous election to assume the vacant position. ... LeColson Fine Jewelry, 730 Hancock St., Wollaston, was advertising "For All Your Jewelry Needs at Discounted Prices." ... **Brigadier General Richard I. Neal** was scheduled to be the guest speaker at the Dec. 5 breakfast of the South Shore Chamber of Commerce to be held at the Lantana in Randolph. ... **City Councillor Patricia Toland and Russell Johnson** were honored by the Cerebral Palsy of the South Shore Area with the annual Community Service Award. Both **Mayor James A. Sheets** and former **Mayor Frank McCauley**, the master of ceremonies, praised the honorees for their exemplified service to the community. ... **Kaki Chan**, a senior at Quincy High School, has been awarded a talented minority scholarship from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. ... Two students at Quincy High School have been recognized by the College Board for exceptional achievement on the college level Advanced Placement Examinations they took through May 1991. They were **Dean Tantillo and Sarah Goodman**. ... Blackwood Pharmacy, 663 Hancock St., Wollaston, was offering "Very Personal Service by Bonnie Seely and Her Staff, Free Delivery Quincy and Milton." ... The Winfield Tree Lot, 853 Hancock St., (opposite Quincy Stadium) was offering "Sheared Maine and New Brunswick Trees, \$3.50 to \$28.00." ... Despite a rainy day, an estimated 200,000 people were on hand to watch the 40th annual Christmas Parade. The Woodward School, the Quincy Fire Department, the Koch Club and St. John's C.Y.O. finished first, second, third and fourth in the float competition. ... **Charles N. Ross**, son of former **Mayor Charles A. Ross**, an attorney and an assistant Norfolk County Register of Deeds, died at age 85, after a long illness. ... The Paul D. Harold Committee held its annual holiday brunch at the Viking Club, Quincy Avenue, Braintree. Donations \$12.50 per person. ... Beauty Gardens, 1436 Hancock St., Quincy Center, was advertising "A Holiday Special, Complete Perm \$25, a \$50 value." ... A cast of 24 fourth grade students at Atherton Hough School in Hough's Neck, were planning to present a play "A Christmas Carol," Thursday, Dec. 19, at 8:15 and 9:30 a.m. The students will perform under the direction of **Lorie Hammerstrom and Kathleen Montgomery**. ... The North Quincy Red Raiders defeated the Quincy High Presidents by a 7-0 score before some 10,000 fans at Veterans' Memorial Stadium. The win was North's 25th against 29 Quincy wins and there were five ties. ... **Ward Five Councillor Charles (Chuck) Phelan** thanked his colleagues on the City Council for choosing him to serve as council president commencing in January 1992.

December Events Quincy Council On Aging

By MARIE FERENT
Quincy Council on Aging

The Quincy Council on Aging, Kennedy Center, announces the following events in December:

Quincy Police Patrol Officers Association Luncheon
Friday, Dec. 3 at 12:30 P.M.

The Quincy Police will provide a luncheon for members of the Quincy Council on Aging at the Kennedy Center. Entertainment will be provided. Tickets are \$3 per person available at the Kennedy Center. Proceeds will go to the Quincy Police Charitable fund, Cops for Kids with Cancer. Only a few tickets left!

Fall Prevention

Wednesday, Dec. 8th at 11 A.M.

The Norfolk County Sheriff's Office will be present a seminar on Fall Prevention. You will learn measures to prevent falls which is a vital tool especially if you are in a situation where you are by yourself. Space is limited and registration is required. Please call 617-376-1506 to reserve your spot today.

Christmas Party

Thursday, Dec. 9th at 12:30 P.M.

Join us to celebrate the spirit of Christmas with friends at the Kennedy Center. Enjoy great Christmas entertainment, a catered lunch, and raffles. This event is sold out just a reminder for those with tickets.

Rock Painting

Friday, Dec. 10th at 1:30 P.M. Come join us in the Art room and paint a rock with your own unique design! Paint supplies provided. Registration is required. Please call 617-376-1506 to register.

Bingo + Songs = Singo

Friday, Dec. 10th at 1 P.M.

Singo with Jim the DJ! This is not your Grandma's bingo! Singo is bingo where we replace the numbers with your favorite songs. Test your musical knowledge and luck. Have some fun and win some prizes! Sing, dance laugh, Singo is all about a good time. Light refreshments will be served.

\$5PP due at time of registration.

Friends of the Kennedy Center Bingo

Monday, Dec. 13th at 1:30 P.M.

Join the Friends of the Kennedy Center for an afternoon of Bingo! Try your luck at Bingo and a chance to win a fabulous prize! Space is limited. Registration is required. Don't miss out on all the fun! Please call 617-376-1506 to register.

Senior Fire Safety with the Quincy Fire Department

Tuesday, Dec. 14th at 10:30 A.M.

People over 65 account for 40% of fire deaths each year in Massachusetts. Senior Fire Safety is a workshop to improve fire and life safety of older adults. Join us and the Quincy Fire Department for this important workshop. Registration is required. Please call 617-376-1506 to reserve your spot.

Monthly Birthday Party Celebration

Wednesday, Dec. 15th at 1:30 P.M.

At Hamel-Lydon Chapel, we also believe in the celebration of life. Come join us at the Kennedy Center for cake and ice cream if it's your birthday or even if it's not, come and join us for our celebration! Sponsored by Hamel-Lydon Chapel. Reservations are required. Please call 617-376-1506 to reserve your spot.

Monthly Bereavement Support Group

Thursday, Dec. 16th at 1 P.M.

All are welcome. This is a monthly group which provides a space of sharing and support for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. Sponsored by Hamel-Lydon Chapel Cremation Service of Massachusetts. Registration is required. Please call 617-376-1506 to register.

Nails to You Manicures

Friday, Dec. 17th from 10 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Join us for a manicure event at the Kennedy Center. Manicures will be \$15 payable to Nails to You on the day of the event. Please call 617-376-1506 to schedule your appointment.

Memory Laners Holiday Show

Friday, Dec. 17th at 12:30 P.M.

The Memory Laners will be back at the Kennedy Center for a holiday show! They were here in September and everyone who attended had a great time singing and dancing to all their favorite songs. Registration is required. Please call 617-376-1506 to register.

Craft Time!

Monday, Dec. 20th at 1 P.M.

Join us for a craft class. You have the option of making the featured craft or choosing to make one of our wood signs. Seasonal sayings will be provided. Cost is \$15 payable upon registration. Space is limited. Please call 617-376-1506 to reserve your spot.

Quincy's Memory Café Hosted

by Standish Village at the Kennedy Center

Monday, Dec. 20th at Noon

Brought to you by Julie Williamson, Director of Communications for Standish Village Assisted Living & Compass Memory Support, Quincy's Memory Café welcomes those living with memory loss or dementia and their care partners, family, and friends. While Memory Café is open to anyone in the community, any guest who requires a personal care attendant must have a caregiver present. Please call 617-376-1243 to register for the café or with any questions.

Bluegrass Concert

Friday, Jan. 7th at Noon

The WSU Bluegrass Band is a group of individuals with all acoustic instruments such as guitars, mandolins, banjos, fiddles, and upright bass. They have been meeting a minimum of once per week for over 7 years! Playing fundraisers, special events, concerts, and weekly performances at Daddy's Beach Club in Hull. The music is bluegrass and Americana. Great music, a fun band guaranteed to provide some laughs. By the way...WSU stands for "Whoever Shows Up". Always a good time. Please call 617-376-1506 to register.

The Kennedy Center is located at 440 East Squantum St., North Quincy.

Movie Review: 'Ghostbusters: Afterlife'

By BOB GARVER

Director Jason Reitman is taking over the reigns of his father Ivan's "Ghostbusters" franchise, and the results are a mixed bag. On one hand, the new film is truer to the spirit of the original "Ghostbusters" than the misguided 2016 reboot (stupid controversy over the casting aside). On the other, it's not that funny or exciting.

The film follows the family of Dr. Egon Spengler (the late Harold Ramis, depicted as alive at the beginning of the film). His daughter Callie (Carrie Coon) moves into his old farmhouse in middle-of-nowhere Oklahoma with her kids Trevor (Finn Wolfhard) and Phoebe (Mckenna Grace). Trevor is a sarcastic gearhead, in other words a typical teenager, with an uninteresting subplot where he tries to woo a local waitress (Celeste O'Connor, even more devoid of personality).

More interesting is Phoebe, who goes to school strictly for fun. She takes up the hobby of trying to find out why the small town has so many earthquakes, aided by her friend Podcast (Logan Kim, whose personality is annoying, but at least he has one) and seismologist teacher Mr. Groober (Paul Rudd). Gradually she discovers that ghosts are responsible, and that her grandfather was trying to save the world from them, which is why he had

a falling out with the other Ghostbusters and was estranged from his family.

I can't say much for the humor in the movie. There's a running gag of Phoebe telling terrible jokes, but they aren't much worse than what the movie tries to pass off as legitimate jokes, especially when Podcast is involved. It's so strange that Reitman, who brought us two of the funniest movies of the 2000's in "Thank You for Smoking" and "Juno," wouldn't have more in the tank than the hacky "nothing ever happens in this town" bits that we get here.

Much has been written of the incessant fan service in the film, and yeah, it's pretty painful. Almost every corner of the film has a reference to "Ghostbusters" or some 80's movie that Reitman loves. I was par-

ticularly unimpressed with the return of the Stay-Puft Marshmallow Man, or Men in this case, since it's a bunch of little ones for some reason. They're constantly distracted from their mission, and why would you choose them for a mission anyway? There was a reason to incorporate an enormous Marshmallow Man into the original film - Ray was trying to think of the most harmless harbinger of doom possible - but there's no reason to use them here except that fans are supposed to cheer for them.

"Ghostbusters: Afterlife" isn't good at humor, fan service, or straight action (I know I haven't mentioned that yet, but it's all CGI garbage). So what does it do right? In a word, heart. Grace, Coon, and Rudd (congratulations to Rudd on

being named "Sexiest Man Alive," by the way) are all effortlessly charming, and you want to chuckle warmly at them even though what they're saying isn't that funny. I was drawn into the Spengler family dynamic, as the various members struggle to understand and forgive Egon. And the movie has a tremendous amount of love for Harold Ramis. At first I hated that his likeness was being incorporated into the story, the same way I've detested the way the "Fast and Furious" movies insist on keeping Paul Walker's character alive, but it made sense by the end. It's not a fun journey, but the ending of the film, inevitable cameos and all, redeems a lot of what came before it.

Grade: C

"Ghostbusters: After-



life" is rated PG-13 for suggestive references. Its running time is 124 minutes.

NQHS Drama Club To Present 'The Real Adventures Of Robin Hood'

The North Quincy High School Drama club is presenting The 'Real' Adventures of Robin Hood, a revved-up look at the timeless tale of Robin and his merry band. A swashbuckling, musical adventure, Robin Hood is designed to be fun and engaging for all.

Directors Kariana Santos and Doug Feinburg, welcome you to spend an evening in Sherwood Forest with Robin Hood and his merry band as they spar with the greedy Sheriff of

Nottingham. Be prepared to be immersed into whimsical nonsense with plenty of surprises along the way. With elegant costumes by Kristie Dwyer, lighting by Ryan Santos, and breath-taking sets by Nick Cody and Doug Feinburg, the drama club invites you to an evening of action, adventure, and do-good thievery.

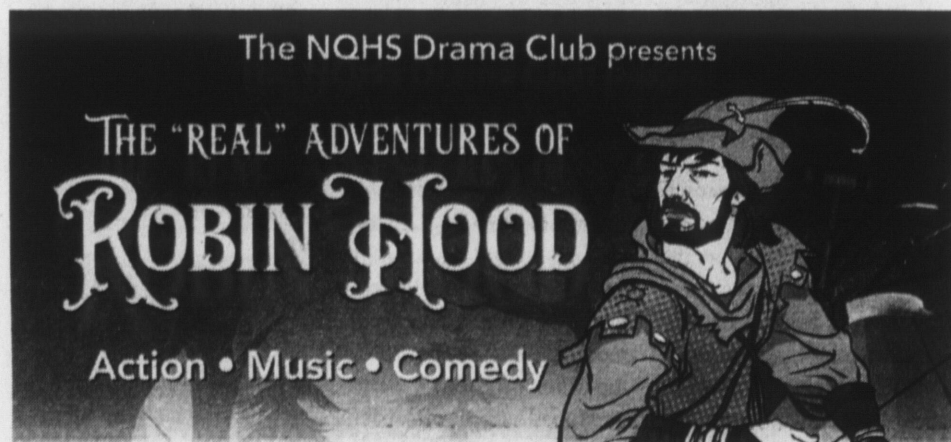
The show will be performed on Friday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m., and Saturday, Dec. 11, at 7:30 p.m. at the Peter Chrisom Auditorium,

North Quincy High School, 316 Hancock St., North Quincy. Tickets are \$12 for

adults and \$5 for children and can be purchased at the door or online at nqdrama.

ludus.com.

Masks are required for all attendees.



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Social

Wollaston Garden Club Greens Sale Saturday

Members of the Wollaston Garden Club of Quincy have begun their work making bows, collecting pine cones, wiring shells, and painting floral sprays for the many unique wreaths, swags, and holiday arrangements which will be available for sale at their annual Holiday Greens Sale on Saturday, Dec. 4th from 9 a.m. to noon.

The sale will be at the Wollaston Congregational Church which is at the corner of Lincoln and Winthrop Avenues in Wollaston.

There will be packages of greens filled with a nice variety of locally sourced, sustainable evergreens and holly, and both small seasonal floral arrangements

and large outdoor containers designed for winter interest. Many lovely wreaths and swags, decorated by WGC designers, will also be on sale; garden club wreaths are always unique, and fairly priced. Each year, the club looks for new ideas for novelty and gift items; you will find several different items suitable for gift-giving or stocking-stuffing, at the sale, all reasonably priced.

Arrive early in the sale for the best selection. Proceeds stay local and support the Wollaston Garden Club's work on civic beautification in Quincy, and other local community, youth, education and conservation projects.

'Night Of Giving' Dec. 15 At Common Market Restaurants

The Common Market Restaurants will hold its annual "Night of Giving" Wednesday, Dec. 15 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Cafe de Paris lounge.

Free hors d'oeuvres are available for customers who bring a wrapped present for a boy or girl. The restaurant also makes a donation to the charity and the bartenders donate a portion of their night's gratuities to the charity.

In addition, the restaurant

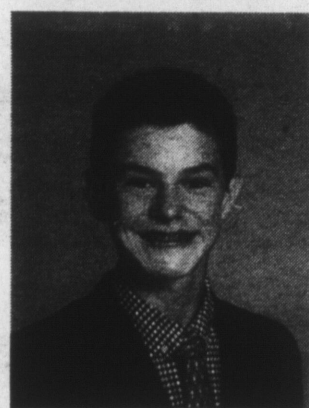
will be partnering with Patron Tequila to create a charity cocktail for the evening. For every Patron charity cocktail purchased, \$2 will also be donated.

The Common Market partners with "My Brother's Keeper," a local charity, that assists families in the area and provides presents for families at Christmas time. Since the "Night of Giving" was started at The Common Market decades ago, customers have donated over 9,000 Christmas presents.

Donal O'Connor On Honor Roll At St. Sebastian's

Donal J. O'Connor of Squantum, a grade nine student at St. Sebastian's School in Needham, has been named to the Honor Roll for the first quarter.

Donal received Honors with Distinction (B or above in all subjects).



DONAL J. O'CONNOR

Eight On Stonehill Dean's List

Eight students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Stonehill College in Easton.

They are:

Sarah Bradley, Alyssa Frates, Aine King, Dylan McGowan, Connor Porter, Steven Shalvey, Colleen Stravin and Silvianina Zhao.

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Includes wash, cut & style	

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more info.

Wotiz Gallery Hosting Two Artists In December

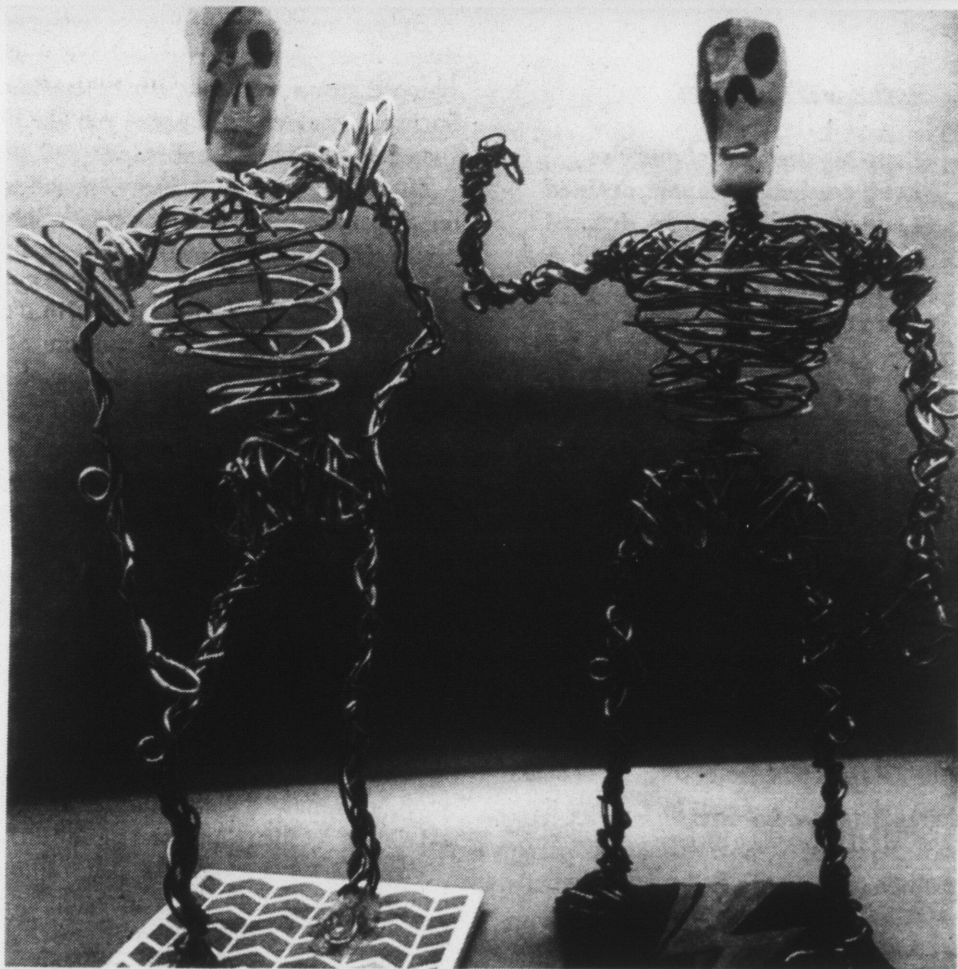
Now through Dec. 30th, the Milton Public Library will host two local artists: sculptor Peter Berman and painter Tom Maholchic in an exhibit called "Tom and Pete's Holiday Special."

Berman is a native artist specializing in wire sculpture and he began creating art at the age of 8; now at 33 his ever-expanding catalogue of works are principally influenced by nature and the human form. The sculptures are composed of colored aluminum wire, and sometimes incorporate complimentary materials like clay and paint.

Maholchic is a resident of Milton who enjoys painting, mainly in acrylics. Over the years he has pursued different styles, always looking for new creative challenges. His art ranges from impressionist landscapes, to portraits, and to abstract fluid art. Often blending different styles, he looks for inspiration from other artists, nature, and his surroundings.

Peter and Tom met as kids at Tucker Elementary School and began small collaborative projects in high school. Featured together in June 2019 at the Savin Gallery in Dorchester, and the Wotiz Gallery at the Milton Public Library in March 2020, their latest joint works include media from each of the specialties fixed adjacent to each other.

For more information, email jhlady@ocln.or or call the Reference Dept. at (617) 898-4964. The Milton Public Library is located at 476 Canton Ave.



NOW THROUGH DEC. 30th, the Milton Public Library will host two local artists: sculptor Peter Berman and painter Tom Maholchic in an exhibit called "Tom and Pete's Holiday Special." Two photos of their artwork appear here. *Courtesy Photos*



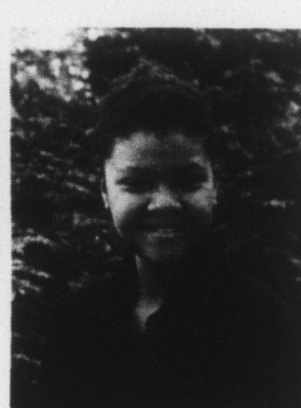
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Seven Quincy Students On Woodward School Honor Roll

The Woodward School in Quincy announces seven students from Quincy are on the Honor Roll.

They are:

High Honor Roll - grades are all A's
Grade 7: Isabella Edmeade
Grade 8: Madison Cortez
Grade 10: Abigail Williams
Grade 11: Jacquelyn Andrade
Grade 12: Zoe Maher.
Honor Roll - grades



MARINA FERREIRA



ZOE MAHER



ABIGAIL WILLIAMS

are all A's and B's

Grade 7: Heidi Barber
Grade 12: Marina Ferreira.

The Woodward School, located in Quincy Center, is an independent, secular all-

girls school offering grades 6 - 12. Learn more at www.thewoodwardschool.org.

DOVE, Inc. Receives \$5,000 In Grants from Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation

DOVE, Inc. in Quincy was awarded \$5,000 from the Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation's Community Spirit 9/11 Mini-Grant program.

A total of 10 employees of Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, a Point32Health company, nominated the organization for the award. Funds will be used to provide emergency shelter supplies.

To commemorate those Harvard Pilgrim members who lost their lives on September 11, 2001, Harvard Pilgrim and the Foundation created the Community Spirit 9/11 Mini-Grant program. This program has allowed each Harvard Pilgrim employee to award a \$500 grant from the Foundation to a local nonprofit of their choice annually.

Since the program began in 2002, Harvard Pilgrim employees have directed more than \$7 million to thousands of organizations throughout Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island.

"Our colleagues honor

the work of local nonprofits with these Mini-Grants, funding important programs and deepening our connections with the places where they live and work," said Nora Moreno Cargie, president of the Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation and Tufts Health Plan Foundation and vice president of Corporate Citizenship at Point32Health. "Nonprofit organizations have faced immense challenges over the last two years and have shown remarkable resilience as they respond to the needs of their communities."

In 2020, 95% of Harvard

Pilgrim employees participated in at least one form of service or giving through volunteering, the Mini-Grants program, or Harvard Pilgrim's annual Employee Fundraising Campaign.

Created in 1980, The Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation supports Harvard Pilgrim's mission to improve the quality and value of health care for the people and communities we serve. In 2020, the Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation awarded more than \$10.4 million in grants to nearly 800 nonprofit organizations in the region.

WHAT'S COOKING

with
Marie & Suzie

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO and SUZIE FALCO



Helen's Sour Cream Fruit Salad

By MARIE

Back in the day our wonderful neighbor, Helen, would often bring her favorite dessert any time there was a gathering - the sour cream fruit salad that would go with any buffet or luncheon. It was a light dessert that was pretty to look at and hard to resist.

Recipe and Directions

1 cup bit-sized marshmallows
1 cup crushed pineapple, drained
1 cup mandarin oranges, drained
½ cup of walnuts, cut
½ cup of shredded coconut
1 cup of sour cream

Mix the first three ingredients together in a large bowl, then add walnuts and coconut. After this, add the sour cream and chill.

This is a lovely, fluffy, mouthwatering dessert that can be made a couple of days ahead of time if you wish.

By the way, because I am a whipped cream lover, I sometimes add a cup of whipped cream with sour cream together. So, experiment, mix it any way you like. I guarantee you'll love it either way.

Of course, if you're a lucky enough to have a gal like Helen as a long-time neighbor, you'd hardly have to do it yourself.

Healthy Protein Bars

By SUSIE

Protein bars bought at the store can be pricey, not taste so great, and may contain questionable ingredients, including too much sweeteners.

Some even contain artificial sweeteners, that I am not a fan of for a variety of reasons - one being many have bloating and gastrointestinal symptoms from consuming them.

Here is a great recipe adapted from "Oh She Glows" that are absolutely delicious, easy, and healthy. Great to grab on the go and when you want a nice pick me up snack.

RECIPE

1½ cups gluten-free rolled oats, blended into a flour (just throw in blender)
½ cup unsweetened/unflavored protein powder (I use VITAL PROTEINS collagen peptides, but there are many on the market)
½ cup brown rice crisp cereal (I use "One Degree" brand or Erewhon)
¼ to ½ teaspoon fine grain sea salt, to taste
½ cup natural peanut butter, almond butter, or sunflower seed butter

½ cup pure maple syrup
1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
3 tablespoons mini dark chocolate chips (I use Enjoy Life)
½ tablespoon coconut oil

DIRECTIONS

Line an 8-inch square pan with a piece of parchment paper. In a large bowl, mix the oat flour, protein powder, rice crisp, and salt together. Stir in the nut/seed butter, maple syrup, and vanilla. If the mixture seems dry, add a bit of non dairy milk and mix again.

Press the mixture into the pan, rolling out with a pastry roller until smooth. Place in the freezer. In a small pot over low heat, melt the chocolate chips and coconut oil together. When half of the chips have melted, remove from heat and stir until smooth.

After the bars have been in the freezer for about 5 to 10 minutes, remove and slice into bars. Drizzle with melted chocolate, and freeze again until set.

Store in the freezer for a week or longer in an air-tight freezer bag or container.

Eggplant and Sausage - With Ease

By MARIE

The combination of eggplant and Italian sausage is a blend that can be prepared with ease, especially if you have leftover tomato sauce.

Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees; you will need a lightly greased 9 x 12 or 10 x 14 baking dish

Ingredients and Directions

Tomato sauce
1 medium-sized eggplant
12 ounces of mozzarella cheese
Bread crumbs
1 egg
Milk for mixing with the egg
Grated cheese
6 Italian sausage

Par cook the sausages, slice into quarter-inch thick pieces and set aside.

Thinly slice the eggplant lengthwise.

(Eggplant can be skinned or unskinned).

Put slices in egg and milk mixture and then cover with seasoned bread crumbs.

On a cookie sheet with parchment paper, place the eggplant and bake in a 350-degree oven, turning once until lightly browned on each side, drain and set aside.

Make a basic tomato sauce or use a prepared sauce if you like.

In a lightly greased casserole dish, put a small portion of the sauce on the bottom, then layer the eggplant, mozzarella cheese, sliced sausage, tomato sauce and grated cheese.

Repeat layers until done.

Top with mozzarella cheese, tomato sauce and grated cheese.

Bake covered in a 350-degree oven for 30 minutes and then uncovered for 10 or 15 minutes until top looks bubbly.

Cool slightly before cutting and serve with kind of pasta, baked potato or rice. You can also serve with just a salad if you wish.

Quincy Boy Scout Kobe Khuong Seeks Donations For Eagle Scout Project

My name is Kobe Khuong and I am an Eagle Scout candidate from Troop 42 in Quincy. One of the requirements to obtain the rank of Eagle Scout is the Eagle Scout project. My planned Eagle Scout project is to make additions to the Luc Theberge Memorial and outdoor classroom located outside of Bernazzani Elementary School.

The addition of a fence and arbor gate will better define Luc's reflection garden and will continue to be a place of rest and for community members to reflect. The planned lifted flower beds will become fun projects for the students of the school as well as a source of color for the area. The projected cost of the project is around \$1000. Luc was a role-model of mine, and I hope

to honor him with these additions and by leaving a positive impact on the community. I have established a Gofundme page (<https://gofund.me/84d63e5a>), a venmo for the project (@ok_kobemon), and can take mail in donations, payable to "Quincy Friends of Scouting" at 21 Puritan Dr., Quincy, MA 02169.



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Social Security Matters Ask Rusty – Should I Take My Widower Benefit Now?

By **RUSSELL GLOOR**

National Social Security Advisor

at the AMAC Foundation, The Non-Profit Arm
of the Association of Mature American Citizens

Dear Rusty: I lost my wife 7 years ago. I was told that I could possibly collect 30 to 35% of her benefit as a widower benefit when I turned 60. I will be 61 soon. Would it make sense to pursue this if it is true? I am still working full time. Would this affect my ability to collect Social Security on my own account once I retire? **Signed: Working Survivor**

Dear Working: Survivor benefits for a widower can be paid as early as age 60 if you have not remarried prior to that. But collecting a survivor benefit before you have reached your full retirement age (your "FRA", which is age 67) creates some other considerations you should be aware of:

- Your survivor benefit will be based upon the SS benefit your wife was entitled to at her death. Taken at your FRA you'd get 100% of the SS amount your wife was entitled to at her death, but if taken any earlier than your FRA the survivor benefit will be reduced.

- Taken before your FRA, your survivor benefit will be actuarially reduced according to the number of months prior to your FRA it is claimed. The reduction amount is 4.75% less per full year earlier than your FRA, and that is a permanent reduction. If you take your survivor benefit at age 61, you'll get 71.5% of the SS benefit your wife had earned up to her death.

- Since you're not yet receiving your own SS retirement benefit, you can take your survivor benefit first and allow your personal SS retirement benefit to grow. Assuming your personal SS retirement benefit will be more than your survivor benefit, you can switch from your survivor benefit to your SS retirement benefit at any time after you are age-eligible to do so (age 62). You can also, if you wish, choose to continue your survivor benefit up until your personal SS retirement benefit reaches maximum at age 70. At age 70 your own benefit will be 24% more than your FRA benefit amount.

- If you claim the survivor benefit before your FRA and you are still working, you'll be subject to Social Security's "earnings test" which limits how much you can earn before SS takes away some of your benefit. The earnings limit for 2021 is \$18,960 (the 2022 limit is \$19,560) and if your earnings from work exceed that amount, SS will take back benefits equal to \$1 for every \$2 you are over the limit.

So, although you can claim a survivor benefit from your deceased wife now (and allow your own SS benefit to grow), practically speaking you may not be able to get a survivor benefit if you are working full time and earning considerably more than the annual earnings limit. In other words, the penalty for exceeding the earnings limit may entirely offset the survivor benefit you are entitled to. If you're over the earnings limit by only a small amount, you'll only lose benefits for the number of months needed to repay what you owe. And for clarity, in the year you attain FRA the earnings limit goes up by about 2.5 times and the penalty is less (\$1 for every \$3 you are over the limit), and once you reach your full retirement age there is no longer a limit to how much you can earn. To avoid the earnings test, you could also choose to wait until your FRA to maximize your survivor benefit and then wait until age 70 to claim your maximum SS retirement benefit.

Regardless of when you claim your survivor benefit, your own SS retirement benefit won't be affected. Your SS retirement benefit, which will replace your smaller survivor benefit, will be based solely on your lifetime earnings history and the age at which you claim it.

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The Quincy Sun.com

25th Annual Salvation Army Community Leader Kettle

Wednesday, Dec. 1 And Wednesday, Dec. 8,
Hancock-Adams Common, Quincy Center



The 25th annual Community Leader Kettle to benefit The Salvation Army Quincy Corps will be held Wednesday, Dec. 1 and Wednesday, Dec. 8 near Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

The kettle will be set up in the Hancock-Adams Common near the John Adams Statue.

Kettle hours both days are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The last hour shift will start at 3 p.m.

More than 40 civic and city leaders are volunteering their time to ring the bell at the community leader kettle. The kettle to benefit The Salvation Army was established in 1997 – 25 years ago – by the late Henry W. Bosworth, Jr., founder and longtime publisher of *The Quincy Sun*.

Mr. Bosworth, who coordinated the kettle for many years, passed away in February 2009. He was a longtime member of the Quincy Salvation Army Advisory Board. For the last 13 years, Mr. Bosworth's son – Quincy Sun Publisher Robert Bosworth – has coordinated the community leader kettle. Robert Bosworth has also served as a member of The Quincy Salvation Army Advisory Board.

Over the past 24 years, the kettle has raised more than \$110,000. Last year's kettle raised \$4,300 bringing the 24-year total to \$113,416. That amount also includes several "Christmas In July" kettle standouts held in Quincy Center during some summer months that also supported the Quincy Salvation Army and its mission of helping the needy during the holiday season and year-round. The July kettles raised \$9,249.

Capt. Adam Boynton, corps officer of The Salvation Army on Baxter Street in Quincy, said the Red Christmas Kettle campaign continues to be the strongest form of fundraising for the Salvation Army in Quincy. Donations are used year round to support the less fortunate. This year's kettle campaign goal is \$120,000.

"As we continue to deal with the effects and aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic, we continue to see more people

City Waiving Restaurants' Liquor Licenses Fees

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also allowed to reopen at that time, after being shuttered for more than a year.

Walker said that local restaurants have bounced back in recent months but are not all the way back.

"They are certainly making progress, but we're not there yet," he said. "Our restaurants need a little bit of help."

"It is certainly not a windfall, but it is another tool in the tool box," to help the city's restaurant's, Walker added.

There are approximately 100 restaurants and other

establishments, such as bars and social clubs, with on-premises licenses in Quincy. The annual renewal fee for each license is \$2,000.

In other business at the Nov. 23 meeting, the board also reviewed the hours for alcohol sales during the upcoming holiday season.

On Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, retail sales of alcohol are allowed until 11:30 p.m., a half hour later than usual.

On Christmas Day, Dec. 25, restaurants, bars and other on-premises locations may begin selling alcohol at noon. No retail alcohol sales are allowed on Christmas Day.

AAA: Gas Prices Same As Last Week

Massachusetts's average gas price is the same as last week, averaging \$3.42 per gallon. Monday's price is 5 cents higher than a month ago (\$3.37), and \$1.34 higher than Nov. 29, 2020 (\$2.08). Massachusetts's average gas price is 3 cents

higher than the national average.

AAA Northeast's Nov. 29 survey of fuel prices found the current national average to be 1 cent lower than last week (\$3.40), averaging \$3.39 a gallon.

in need asking for our help with food, utilities and rent," Boynton said. "Please consider donating as you pass a Red Kettle, located at Walmart, Star Market, Shaw's, Hobby Lobby, South Shore Plaza and Stop and Shop. Think about it: if even half of the residents of Quincy gave \$5 we would exceed our goal."

Here is the line-up of volunteers manning the Community Leader kettle:

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1

9 a.m. – Mayor Thomas Koch and Auto Dealer Dan Quirk.

10 a.m. – School Committee Member Frank Santoro, Don Uvanitte, Eastern Insurance and Quincy Salvation Army Advisory Board; City Clerk Nicole Crispo and Norfolk County Commissioner Joe Shea.

11 a.m. – School Committee Member Emily Lebo and Ed and Joan Keohane, Salvation Army Advisory Board.

Noon – School Committee Member-Elect Tina Cahill; Tim Cahill, president, Quincy Chamber of Commerce and School Committee Member Paul Bregoli.

1 p.m. – State Rep. Tackey Chan, QATV Executive Director Jonathan Caliri and School Committee member Kathryn Hubley.

2 p.m. Quincy Veterans Council Commander Daniel Tinney (2022), QVC Past Commander Robert LaFleur and Christine Cugini, administrative secretary Quincy Veterans Services.

3 p.m. Quincy Veterans Council Commander Charles Hurd (2021), QVC Senior Vice Commander Steve Dunlea and Councillor Noel DiBona.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8

9 a.m. – Ward 5 Councillor Chuck Phelan, Maralin Manning, Salvation Army Advisory Board; and Dr. John Pascuccio, Salvation Army Advisory Board.

10 a.m. – Norfolk County Register of Deeds William O'Donnell, Rep. Bruce Ayers, Quincy Veterans Services Director George Nicholson and Veterans Services Graves Registration Officer George Bouchard.

11 a.m. – Karen Giovanniello and Carol Lowd, Quincy Lions Club and Amy Huber, senior vice president, North-East Community Bank.

Noon – Norfolk County Sheriff Patrick McDermott; Barbara Clarke, president, Quincy Rotary Club; and Isobel Bertman, Rogers Jewelry and Salvation Army Advisory Board.

1 p.m. – NQHS Principal Keith Ford, QHS Principal Larry Taglieri, Norfolk County Dist. Atty. Mike Morrissey and Norfolk County Treasurer Mike Bellotti.

2 p.m. – Ward 2 Councillor Anthony Andronico, School Committee Member Doug Gutro and Quincy Sun Publisher Robert Bosworth.

3 p.m. – Quincy College President Dr. Richard DeCristofaro, Jack Raymer, director of Athletics, Quincy College; and School Committee member Courtney Perdios.

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FRIDAY, NOV. 19

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE (possible larceny/motor vehicle), 5:43 a.m., East Howard Street. Reporting party states his vehicle was possibly stolen from his apartment complex. States he last saw it on Wednesday and may have left keys inside the center console. Larceny/motor vehicle form filled out. Incident closed.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 11:06 a.m., Bicknell Street. Tenant said someone was assaulted in elevator. Man on the ground in the lobby. Reporting party is maintenance manager. No weapons. Victims is 70 years old. Brewster notified for drunk female. No EMS. Report to be filed.

LARCENY (cell phone), 1:40 p.m., Washington Street. Missing from the store now. Reporting party at the customer service desk. Manager has video. Report to be filed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST (past), 1:52 p.m., Centre Street. Breaking and entering in past. Cut the fence in the lot and took snowblowers. Will be waiting in the store. Report to be filed.

LARCENY (packages), 6:19 p.m., Weston Avenue. Reporting party witnessed two females one white short heavy set and the other black thinner dark curly hair. Both covered their face driving silver motor vehicle. Happened in the lobby. Reporting party saw the females take the packages and then dropped one as they got in the vehicle.

SATURDAY, NOV. 20

LARCENY (purse stolen), 11:47 a.m., Curtis Avenue. By male and female unknown came into unit. 5'8" white female and white male were at her door and went inside and took her purse. Happened 15 minutes ago. In the lobby now waiting. Suspects are possibly in the apartment still. QFD made entry no one inside. Report to be filed.

LARCENY (laptop), 8:35 p.m., Oak Avenue. Sold a laptop online, did not get payment. Has suspect info; advised.

SUNDAY, NOV. 21

LARCENY (credit cards used), 8:58 a.m., Franklin Street. Wants to see officer for use of credit cards for \$900. Report to be filed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY (vehicle), 11:24 a.m., Hancock Street. See reporting party in station lobby. Report to be filed.

LARCENY (Christmas decorations), 3:47 p.m., Hynes Avenue. In QPD lobby. Reporting party has a video. Report filed, requesting CP follow up.

MONDAY, NOV. 22

LARCENY (purse stolen), 4:50 a.m., Hancock Street. Reporting party states that he and his girlfriend were at the bar about 5 or 6 hours ago and his girlfriend's purse was stolen. He states that the purse had \$1,500 cash and other valuables in it. States he waited to call PD because he wanted to check all the trash barrels first, and security won't rewind the tape unless he calls the police. NIBRS to be filed. Report filed.

TUESDAY, NOV. 23

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT (dwelling), 1:06 a.m., Quadrant Circle. Caller says she can hear someone trying to open her windows and doors. Caller and friend have been looking around from inside but can't see anyone. Officer found a screen propped open, unable to locate the party. Gone on arrival. Report to file.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE (last night), 6:29 a.m., Washington Street. Reporting party states her car was stolen from her condo parking last night, sometime after 8 p.m. Unknown registration at this time. Jeep Wrangler, registered.

LARCENY (airpods), 11:43 a.m., Walker Street. Air BNB owner reports tenant in one room stole airpods from the room of a guest who had previously checked out and wants him escorted from property. He's refusing to open the door or speak with homeowner. This tenant is in the attic.

Total Calls for Service: 744
(Nov. 19 - Nov. 23)

Breaking & Entering Motor Vehicle: East Howard Street, Hamilton Avenue, Alden Street, Dartmouth Street, Arlington Street, Marlboro Street

Larceny Motor Vehicle: Washington Street, East Howard Street

Breaking & Entering Attempt: Quadrant Circle

Breaking & Entering in the Past: Centre Street

Toys For Tots Drive At Registry Of Deeds

Norfolk County Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell announces that the Registry is sponsoring its 14th Annual U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots drive.

"Every holiday season, the Registry witnesses firsthand the many acts of kindness and Christmas spirit as numerous people drop off gifts for the Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots drive. It's truly wonderful to see so many people drop off gifts from Registry employees to title examiners to attorneys and from the general public. I fondly remember one year a local mother brought her young children who wanted to drop off toys," O'Donnell said.

This year marks the

74th anniversary of Toys for Tots. The program was established in 1947 when the wife of a Marine major wanted to donate a Raggedy Ann doll for Christmas, but couldn't find an organization to take it.

"Since that time this program has spread so much joy with the gifts that have been donated," O'Donnell said.

The U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots program's mission is to help less fortunate children experience the joy and happiness associated with Christmas. The program operates in 800 cities and towns throughout all 50 states.

Donations of new toys and games for toddlers and children up to age ten can

be brought directly to the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds building located at 649 High St. in Dedham now through noon on Wednesday, Dec. 15. A marked donation bin will be set-up in the lobby which is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

"We all have the power to make a child's Christmas something special, and therefore giving to the Toys for Tots drive just might make it the best Christmas present you can give yourself this holiday season," O'Donnell said.

To learn more about these and other Registry of Deeds events and initiatives, like us at facebook.com/NorfolkDeeds or follow

us on twitter.com/NorfolkDeeds and Instagram.com/NorfolkDeeds.

The Norfolk County Registry of Deeds, located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal office for real property in Norfolk County. The Registry is a resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate, accessible land record information.

All land record research information can be found on the Registry's website www.norfolkdeeds.org.

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BBB: What To Do When An Item Is 'Out Of Stock'

By BETTER
BUSINESS BUREAU

National experts are predicting record numbers in spending on holiday related items. There is also a concern

if many of the items on consumer's holiday lists will be available on the shelf or online and are faced with the disappointing words: "Sorry, this item is currently out of stock." That's especially true when challenges are still occurring with supply chains.

But does that mean the words "out of stock" is the end of the line? Not at all. With a little determination and some creative thinking, the item might be found and purchased. Here are BBB's tip for finding items that are sold out in stores.

How to Buy Out of Stock Items

• **Try a different store.** Avoid limiting the search to the most popular brick-and-mortar stores. Consider researching multiple vendors' websites to see who is carrying stock. If the large chain stores are out of what you need, try a reputable independent shop or a different

type of store entirely. For example, when toilet paper was in short supply at grocery stores, some consumers found stock in unlikely places, such as hardware stores, restaurant suppliers, or office supply stores.

• **Check websites frequently.** If there is an item out of stock when shopping online, don't give up hope right away. Bookmark the product page and check back daily. Many vendors restock high-demand products on a regular basis.

• **Sign up for restock alerts.** Many companies offer restock alerts, which are usually sent by email. For example, on Amazon (a BBB Accredited Business), look for an availability alert on a product's information page. Amazon will send an e-mail when the item becomes available. Keep in mind, you still have to go to the website or store to make the purchase once the alert

arrives.

• **Go straight to the product's source.** If a brand name item isn't available from a favorite retailer, check the brand's official website to see if it's in stock there. If not, consider getting in touch by emailing customer service or reaching out through social media.

• **Take advantage of return policies.** If you suspect that an item will sell out quickly but you aren't sure if you really need or want it, review the store's return policy. If a store gives you the option to return an item and offer refunds, you may want to purchase the item as soon as it's available. You can always send it back if it doesn't fit your needs, but you may regret not purchasing if the stock runs out for good.

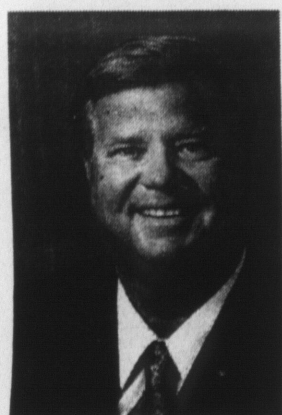
• **Search for products on resale sites.** If a product

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66 NQHS Seniors Awarded John, Abigail Adams Scholarship

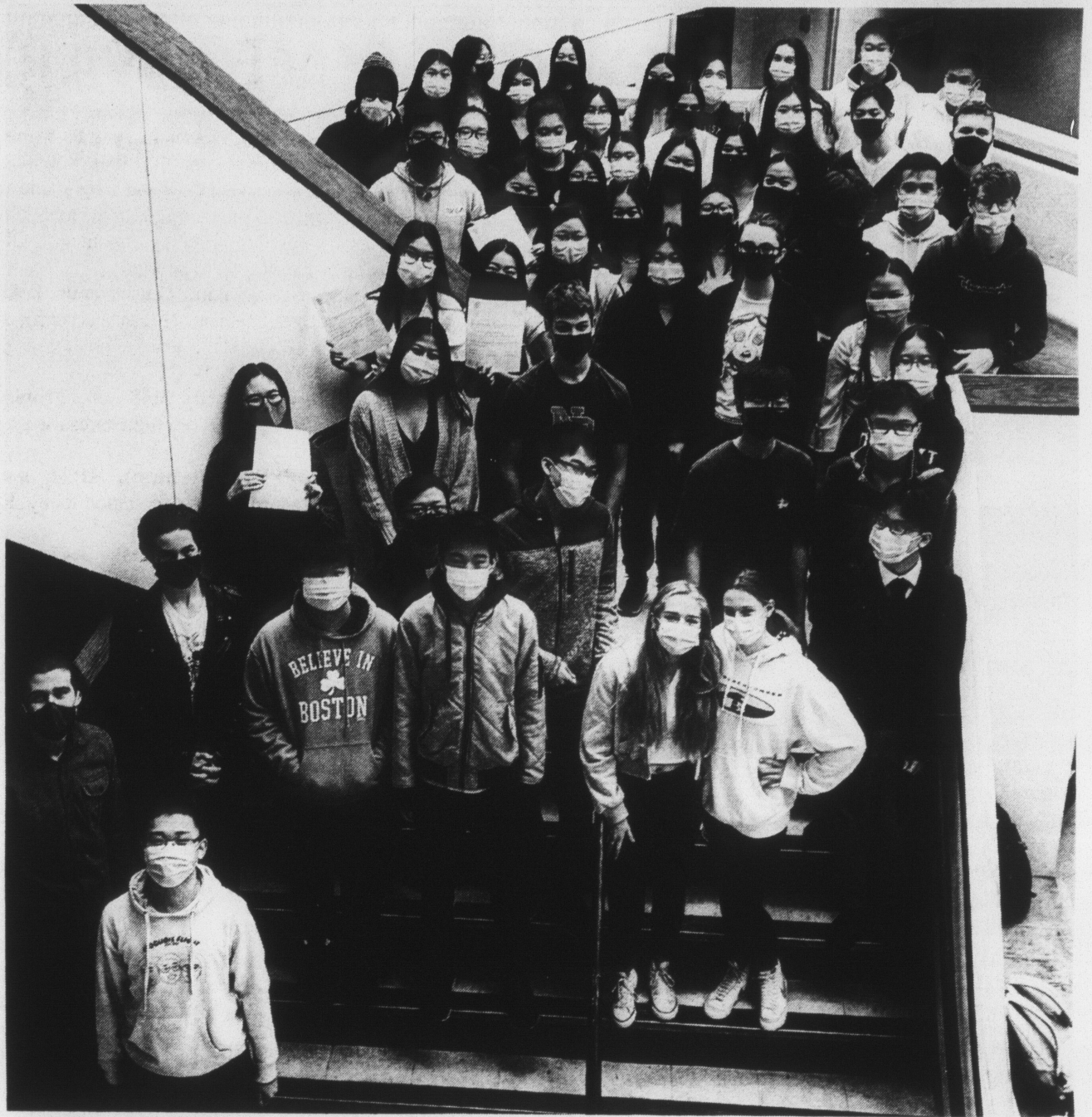
On Friday, Nov. 19, at 9 a.m., 66 North Quincy High School seniors were recognized for receiving the John and Abigail Adams Scholarship.

The John and Abigail Adams Scholarship is an amazing accomplishment as it honors students who performed in the top 25% in the district on all three MCAS exams (ELA, Math and Biology) for Massachusetts. These 66 students voluntarily took the MCAS exam (which was not required this year for graduation) with the hopes that they would be awarded this scholarship opportunity.

The 66 students who received the John and Abigail Adams Scholarship for the graduating class of 2022 are:

Alexandra Abrahamovich, Carly Amendolare, Yoon Aung, Fiona Berberi, Julia Bo, David Bridges, Sandy Cai, Liam Carey,

Kateyln Chan, Chonghao Chen, Crystal Chen, Fiena Chen, Jeffrey Chen, Michelle Chen, Nicholas Chen, Rou Chen, Serena Chen, Brian Choi, Mia Cluett, Liana Dararaksme, Martin Demo, Jasmine Duong, Omar Elhashash, Alexander Gu, Lily Hart, Emily Kuang, Moe Pwint Kyaw, Ada Lai, Kevin Lee, Trista Lee, Joe Lei, Sabrina Leung, Jaden Liang, Tanisha Liang, Ada Lin, Kevin Lin, Vincent Lin, Wilson Lin, Benson Liu, Ting Shing Liu, Annie Lu, Owen Masur, Jamie McAleavey, Benny Mei, Ashley Morash, Quinn Murphy, Andrea Ngo, Liem Nguyen, Linh An Nguyen, Olivia Pham, Nikki Phan, Teresa Sheedy, Oliver Smith, Melody Tai, Tan Dat Tran, Amy Truong, Jada Tu, Martin Vo, Jeffrey Wu, Grace Xu, Ivan Yang, Hao Zheng, Jilin Zheng, Joyce Zhong, Steven Zhou and Jenny Zou.



SIXTY-SIX SENIORS at North Quincy High School were recently awarded the John and Abigail Adams scholarship.

Photo Courtesy North Quincy High School

44 QHS Seniors Awarded John, Abigail Adams Scholarship

Quincy High School recently recognized 44 senior students who have earned the 2022 John and Abigail Adams Scholarship.

The scholarship is awarded by the State of Massachusetts to students for their exemplary performance on the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System (MCAS). To be eligible for the scholarship students needed to score at the Advanced level on at least one of the tested areas (ELA and Mathematics) and at least at the Proficient level or higher on the other. Scholarships are awarded to those students whose combined scores on the two tested areas place them in the top 25% of the district. The John and Abigail scholarship covers tuition at a Massachusetts state college or university for up to eight semesters.

The 2022 Quincy High School John and Abigail Adams recipients:



FORTY-FOUR SENIORS at Quincy High School were recently awarded the John and Abigail Adams scholarship.

Photo Courtesy Quincy High School

Leila Akhouzine, John Alessandro, Noel Jose Alvero, Maurice Ampame, Emmett Bandzak, Louis Brown, Holly Chan, Ellen

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Ryan Gately, Iain Gillespie, Emma Glavin, Dylan Green, Cameron Griffin, Lindsey Hatfield, Upasana Joshi, Natalia Kepczynski,

Kellen Kopp, Sai Kuchulakanti, Tony Le, Thu Luong, Lucy Lynch, Madeline Mayo, Matthew Miranda, Thomas Murphy, Nandan Nair, Aria Oakes, Anne Pa-

tel, Elise Roche, Coleman Ross, Gerelle San Jose, John Shen, Renea Smart, Jamie Tam, Ninh Thi, Lana Van Gorder, Aiden Zeng, and Celine Zheng.

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appears to be gone for good, don't lose hope just yet. Some resale sites may offer the hard-to-find products. That said, watch out for scammers when looking for this year's **hottest toy** or a product that is **very popular**. Con artists **prey on desperate shoppers by pretending to have an item that is impossible to find**, accepting

payments, and then never delivering the product.

- **Consider a personal shopping service.** Personal shoppers can do the heavy lifting if there is a very specific product you are hunting for. Be sure to read reviews and ask for recommendations from friends and family members before deciding to hire.

- **Try out a subscrip-**

tion service. Subscription services offer regular deliveries of cleaning products, clothing and more. If the local stores are running out of fresh produce, for example, consider a meal delivery service.

- **Be patient.** Sometimes, despite the best efforts, it just may not be possible to find most popular items. This was the case for many

consumers hoping to purchase new PS5 and Xbox Series X+S gaming systems. Restocks have sold out almost immediately every time thanks to limited supplies and bot resellers. If this happens to you, be patient. You may have to wait a few months until suppliers can meet consumers' demands.

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BBB Tip: A Consumer's Guide To Going Solar

By BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

Many homeowners are going solar to save money, to go "off the grid," or to make a positive impact on the environment. No matter the reason, installing a solar system is a big purchase with many aspects to consider. If you're thinking about adding solar panels to your roof or property, BBB recommends the following tips to help you get the best deal on quality equipment that will save you money long-term.

What to Consider before Going Solar

• Consider improving your home's energy efficiency. According to Energy.gov, it's important to consider potential energy efficiency upgrades before you go solar. A home energy audit can help you understand where your home loses energy and where you can make simple, yet effective improvements. For example, you could switch out older appliances and electronics for high efficiency products. Heating and cooling takes a large amount of energy, so consider weatherizing your home by checking seals around windows and doors, controlling moisture and checking ventilation. An energy efficient home will use much less energy and will impact how much solar energy you will need.

• Consider the condition of your roof. Most solar systems are installed on rooftops. They use mounting hardware, which need to be installed on sturdy materials like asphalt shingles, standing-seam metal, or concrete tiles. In addition, the best solar panels last 40 years or more, so you need to make sure your roof will last just as long. If your

roof will need repairing or replacing before then, prioritize a new roof before installing solar panels. If for any reason your roof is not ideal for solar panels, but you have a decent amount of land, you could consider installing solar panels on the ground instead.

• Research your energy needs. Contractors need to know how much energy you require in order to give you a recommendation on solar energy systems and an accurate quote. Review your electric bills, paying close attention to how many kilowatt-hours you use each month. Keep in mind that the amount can vary at different times of the year, for example, if you run an air conditioner in the summer months.

• Understand alternative solar energy options. If installing solar panels on your own property isn't an option, get to know the alternatives. In many communities, you can subscribe to "shared solar," which means you pay a monthly rate to benefit from a solar array in your community. Each month, your portion of its electric output shows up as a credit on your electric bill, which saves you money on energy costs. In some areas, you can also lease solar energy by renting equipment and paying a set rate each month. Power purchase agreements are another option, in which you rent the equipment and pay for only the energy you use. If you choose one of these last two options, read contracts carefully before signing up. Contracts are usually long-term and interest rates can increase over time.

• Select a solar power equipment system. There are three kinds of panels commonly used by solar installers in the industry. Amorphous solar panels are the most economic option, but they are less durable and have lower efficiency

rates. Polycrystalline panels are more effective, but take up a lot of space. Monocrystalline solar panels require the least amount of space and have the highest efficiency rates, but they are also the most expensive to purchase. Research each option, choose the option that is best for your needs, and make sure the installers you contact offer the kind of solar panel you need.

• Find out what financing options and incentives are available. While the federal tax credit for installing small solar energy systems expires December 31, 2021, there may still be local incentives available to you. Contact your utility company or a reputable solar installer to ask about incentives. Next, if you don't plan to pay for your solar system outright, look into financing. The Clean Energy States Alliance guide can help you get familiar with your options. In fact, a study by the Solar Energy Industries Association (SEIA) found that 21 million United States homeowners live in a city where solar systems purchased with a low-cost financing option that costs less than their current utility rates.

• Ask for referrals and research local solar installers. Ask friends and family members who already went solar for referrals. Search online for local solar installers and research each company carefully. Read customer reviews and check out the company's business rating at BBB.org. As you learn more about each installer, pay attention to the cost of installation, the equipment they use, the quality of their work, and how many years of experience they have with solar systems.

• Get quotes from multiple installers. Once you've narrowed down your search, get estimates from at least three installers. Make sure each estimate details the same kind of systems and installation so as to better comparison shop.

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FBMS Brings Back Thanksgiving Community Meal In Quincy

Father Bill's & MainSpring (FBMS), a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to ending homelessness in Southern Massachusetts, hosted its Thanksgiving community meal in Quincy for the first time since 2019, bringing back a tradition that dates back more than 30 years.

The community meal returned to Christ Episcopal Church, where it had been held for many years prior to last year's gathering being canceled due to the pandemic. This year's meal, open to anyone in the community in need of a meal or companionship on the holiday, was spread out over multiple sittings, reducing the number of people indoors at the same time.

In total, 100 volunteers assisted FBMS staff to provide more than 1,300 meals, secured from Hardy Catering in West Bridgewater, to individuals and families in Quincy, Brockton, and surrounding towns. It was the largest single-day meal total in the agency's history.

In addition to the community meal in Quincy, FBMS hosted socially distanced in-person meals at five of its emergency shelter and housing sites. Approximately 800 meals were provided during last Thursday's in-person meals.

FBMS also expanded its meal-delivery program, with volunteers driving approximately 500 pre-packed Thanksgiving dinners to the homes of local individuals and families in need. The meals included all of the traditional Thanksgiving fixings, including turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, squash, green beans, and pie.

"No day epitomizes the FBMS community more than Thanksgiving, a day when our volunteers, donors, staff, and local businesses come together to provide meals and companionship to our neighbors in need," said FBMS President and CEO John Yazwinski. "For a second straight year the pandemic created logistical and financial challenges for our Thanksgiving program, but once again our supporters answered the call and ensured that no individual or family would go hungry or be alone on



FATHER BILL'S & MainSpring hosted its Thanksgiving community meal in Quincy for the first time since 2019, bringing back a tradition that dates back more than 30 years. The community meal returned to Christ Episcopal Church, where it had been held for many years prior to last year's gathering being canceled due to the pandemic. This year's meal, open to anyone in the community in need of a meal or companionship on the holiday, was spread out over multiple sittings, reducing the number of people indoors at the same time. In total, 100 volunteers – some shown here – assisted FBMS staff to provide more than 1,300 meals.

Courtesy Photo

this special holiday. On this Thanksgiving, and every day, we are grateful for our caring community."

Donations to a special Thanksgiving Fund allowed FBMS to meet this year's

added costs. As of the latest count, \$19,665 had been raised toward the fund. Contributors to the Thanksgiving Fund included Hingham Congregational Church, Christ Episcopal Church in

Quincy, and CVS Health. This year's pie donors included Easton Knights of Columbus Council #238 in partnership with Mann Orchards in Methuen. Table

Talk Pies of Worcester, and the Boston Bruins Foundation.

For more information on how the public can assist their neighbors in need, visit helpfbms.org/holidays.

BBB Tip: A Consumer's Guide To Going Solar

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• **Inquire about warranties.** Solar panels can easily last decades, but that doesn't mean you shouldn't have a warranty. A reputable company will offer you an

equipment warranty, usually lasting 10 to 12 years, and a performance warranty that should last up to 25 years.

• **Begin the installation process.** Actual installation of solar panels usually only

takes a day or two, but keep in mind that the process also involves getting permits and connecting your system to the local electric grid - tasks your solar installer will take care of.

'Cocktails & Candy Canes' Show At Common Market Restaurants

The Common Market Restaurants, 97 Willard St., Quincy, announces its 2021 Christmas Show, "Cocktails & Candy Canes" - a Christmas Revue, set for Thursday, Dec. 9 and Friday, Dec. 10 at 8 p.m.

The performance features Kirsten Hughes, Cynthia Krebs, Jackie Cleary

and Whitney Lloyd.

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This will be the last Saturday the shop is open this

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Thomas D. Curtin, Jr., 87

Family and friends mourn the death of Thomas D. Curtin, Jr., 87, Quincy, formerly of East Weymouth, a devoted husband, father, grandfather, uncle and all-around terrific guy who fought hard, despite his medical challenges, to spend more time with them. He died on Nov. 28.

Mr. Curtin leaves his wife of 62 years, Barbara; his three children, Barbara Graceffa and her husband Philip, Thomas Curtin III and his wife Deborah, and Carole Corthell and her husband Bruce; and grandchildren Samantha and Thomas Curtin and Haley Corthell. A long-time resident of East Weymouth, he was raised in South Boston, son of Thomas and Ruth Curtin. He was predeceased by his sister Patricia.

As a younger man, Mr. Curtin enjoyed hunting, fishing, and many sports including football, handball, softball, and swimming. In later years, he played golf with his son and friends from the Weymouth Elks. He was often in the bleachers as his children and grandchildren played baseball, softball, and soccer.

Always one to volunteer when needed, Mr. Curtin gladly stepped up to play Santa at the company Christ-



THOMAS D. CURTIN, Jr.

mas parties, to coach Weymouth Little League, and to care for his grandchildren whom he loved "the most-est." He was an avid reader and craftsman and enjoyed his annual vacations to Cape Cod. As a supply specialist in the United States Army, Mr. Curtin proudly served his country and was recently recognized in a veterans' event in Quincy. He leaves a lasting legacy of love, hard work and, most of all, good humor. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Visiting hours are 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. on Thursday at McDonald Keohane Funeral Home, East Weymouth, followed by a service at 11 a.m. in the funeral home.

Interment at Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne, at 12:45 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the Weymouth Senior Center or to the Weymouth Food Pantry.

By SCOTT JACKSON

A funeral Mass for Joseph Brill, an advocate for veterans and Quincy's unofficial ambassador for the game of baseball, will be celebrated Monday, Dec. 6, at 10 a.m. in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 1015 Sea St., Houghs Neck.

Mr. Brill died unexpectedly on Nov. 25. He was 66 years old.

A 1974 graduate of Quincy High School, Mr. Brill served in the United States Navy from 1975 to 1979 and had been stationed aboard the USS America. He later worked for the Massachusetts State Lottery.

A supporter of veterans' causes, Mr. Brill was an active member of the Sons of American Legion, Squadron 294, Morrisette American Legion Post and was serving as the squadron's commander at the time of his death. Mr. Brill's wife, Terry, is a member of Post 294's Ladies Auxiliary.

George Bouchard, the



JOSEPH BRILL

city's grave registration officer, said he had known Mr. Brill since the 1980s and called him a good friend.

"He was a great Legionnaire, a good friend, an all-around great guy and a very popular gentleman," Bouchard said.

Mr. Brill participated in numerous veterans' events over the years, speaking at SAL ceremonies and marching in parades.

Frank C. Magnoli, Jr., 64

A funeral Mass for Frank C. Magnoli, Jr., age 64, of Quincy will be celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. in St. Joseph Church, Quincy.

Mr. Magnoli died peacefully Nov. 24.

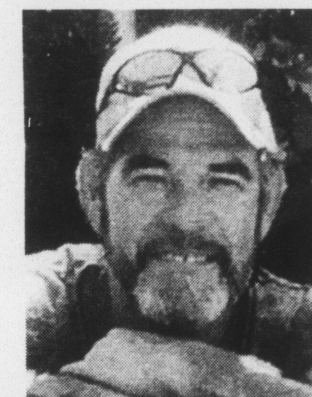
He was raised and educated in Weymouth. Mr. Magnoli worked as a plumber for Spataro Plumbing and Boston Medical Center for over 40 years.

Mr. Magnoli was predeceased by his beloved wife Santana "Sandy" Spataro; his loving parents Frank C. Magnoli and Helen Tanguay. He is survived by his loving children Ross Magnoli and his wife Brandi of Whitman, Melissa Robinson and her husband Matthew of Quincy; dear brother of Patricia Carey of Whitman, Michele Fitzgibbons

and her husband Charlie of Marshfield; loving grandfather of Bryan, Johnny, Kiera, Nathan, Giana and Reese, and dear great grandfather of Arya; Mr. Magnoli was also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours are 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Interment at Pine Hill



FRANK C. MAGNOLI, Jr.

Cemetery, Quincy.

St. Nicholas Festival Weekend At Quincy Point Congregational Church

The St. Nicholas Weekend Festival starts Friday at Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy.

A Family Concert and Fair Preview Party will be held Friday, Dec. 3 beginning at 7 p.m. Featured performers include the Advanced Choir of the South Shore Children's Chorus,

the Stardust Duo, South Shore Piano School Students, and Points Kids Singers. A freewill offering will be received.

St. Nicholas will visit the Fair on Saturday, Dec. 4. The Fair is open 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be specialty gift baskets, handmade knit and quilt items, decorative pillows, totes, jewelry, wooden toys, Ever-GREEN (earth friendly products), Carole's Cards, Kids' Activity Table, Equal Exchange Fair Trade Coffee and Chocolate, Bakery,

Jams and Jellies, Signature Creations, catnip pillows, "Made in Vermont." And the St. Nick's café.

Funds raised through the St. Nicholas Fair and Family Concert Dec. 3 and 4 at the Quincy Point Congregational Church, UCC will support three programs for students in the Quincy Public Schools. The Fair proceeds will be allocated to purchase electronic keyboards for a new initiative at the Clifford Marshall Elementary School, to provide Point Webster Middle

School with Orff pitched percussion instruments and to offer support and gifts for students without permanent homes administered through the McKinney-Vento program.

Sunday, Dec. 5, is the second Sunday of Advent and the Holy Communion Sunday will be celebrated 10 a.m. worship. There is both live streamed and in-person worship at Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St. The live broadcast will have a feed to YouTube, Facebook and Vimeo. You can also visit our website @ www.quincypointcong.org. An Advent Wreath Lighting ceremony will be performed focusing this week on Peace and Faithfulness. And there will be a special St. Nicholas Storytime. After worship join in the downstairs Social Hall for "Covid friendly" refreshments. While you are there, visit the Bib Blue Q table to check out what is happening at the church. The church is accessible to all (designated parking and an elevator) via the Abbey Road side of the building.

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Santa Arrives By Helicopter, 68th Christmas Parade



CHLOE ROONEY, 2, of Weymouth, tells Santa Claus her wishes at Pageant Field after the Jolly Old Elf arrived by helicopter.



SANTA CLAUS waves to the crowd as he arrives on a helicopter with his helpers at Pageant Field Nov. 27. Quincy Sun photos/Tom Gorman

It was a busy weekend in Quincy as the holiday season officially commenced with an array of activities.

A tree lighting ceremony was held at the Hancock-Adams Common last Friday night. Several thousand people attended the turning on the lights that includes two Christmas trees. (Photo on Page 35).

Here on this page are photos of Santa's arrival by helicopter at Pageant Field Saturday as well as the 68th Quincy Christmas Parade that took place Sunday. More photos will appear in the Dec. 9th issue of The Quincy Sun.

Today (Thursday) at 4:30 p.m. a menorah will be lighted outside City Hall. The 8-day Festival of Lights known as Hanukkah began Sunday.



SANTA CLAUS waves to the crowds during the 68th Quincy Christmas Parade Sunday from atop Quincy Fire Department's Ladder 2. More photos from holiday activities will appear in the Dec. 9th Quincy Sun.



QUINCY-NORTH QUINCY High School Band marches along the Quincy Christmas Parade route. The band received first place in the band competition. It was the first time in decades that the Quincy/North Quincy band has been best overall according to one parade official. More photos of the band performing at the Quincy-North Quincy Thanksgiving Day football game appear on Page 23.

Hearing On Proposed Development At Imperial Terrace Site Continued

By SCOTT JACKSON

The zoning board hearing on a proposal to construct 21 new residential units at the former site of the Imperial Terrace restaurant on Sea Street has been continued until Tuesday, Dec. 14.

The applicant, JVC Sea Street LLC, is seeking permission from the Zoning Board of Appeals to construct the new residential units at 105 Sea St. The managers of the LLC are James Timmins, Quincy's city solicitor, and Christopher Timmins, according to the secretary of the commonwealth's corporate records.

The Imperial Terrace property contains 27,600 square feet of land, according to the city's online property records, and is zoned

Residence B.

The applicants had been scheduled to go before the Zoning Board of Appeals for a public hearing on the proposal on Oct. 26. That hearing was moved to Nov. 23 to give the applicants time to revise plans for the site.

At the Nov. 23 meeting, Christopher Carroll, the attorney for the developers, said the proposal had been reduced in size to 21 units, down from the 24 units that had been proposed for the site in October. A total of 42 parking spaces would be provided on site as well, Carroll said at the November meeting.

Martin Aikens, the chairperson of the ZBA, on Nov. 23 suggested continuing the hearing to a later date because board members had

received the revised plans earlier that day.

"Personally, I haven't had a chance to review these," he said.

Nearly 300 residents signed a petition in opposition to the project that was submitted to the zoning board, Aikens added, suggesting the applicant could use the additional time to further revise plans for the site.

Carroll at first said he would begin the public hearing on the proposal at the Nov. 23 meeting and then come back a later date for a continued discussion on the matter. Before beginning his presentation, however, Carroll requested a continuance to the board's next meeting, which is slated for Dec. 14.

During the Nov. 23 meeting, Ward 1 Councillor Da-

vid McCarthy said the 21-unit proposal remains too dense for the site.

"Folks in the neighborhoods are not thrilled with what's been rolled out so far," he said. "There's still a lot of questions that are flying around with folks in regards to how this is all going to work. In my opinion at this point I can't support what they have right now."

"I'd like to see them work on it a little bit more and come back again if we have to have another neighborhood meeting and another one after that until we get it right," McCarthy added.

Councillor Anne Mahoney questioned why the project was being considered by the Zoning Board of Appeals first and not the Planning Board, because the

latter requires a traffic study be performed as part of the review process.

"The area that this is in, it needs a traffic study. It's a terrible location," she said. "To have the zoning be done first before actually going to planning to discuss those things seems a little backwards."

Aikens responded that he would "look into that."

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QHS's Jacqui Niosi MIAA Volleyball Coach Of The Year

The MIAA announces Jacqui Niosi as the recipient of the 2020-2021 Coach of the Year Award in the sport of volleyball.

Niosi, a culinary arts teacher at Quincy High School, is the head coach of both the girls volleyball and boys volleyball programs. Niosi has been the head coach of the girls program since 2006 and took over the boys program in 2014. During her 16-year tenure as head coach of the girls team, she has amassed a career record of 266-85 and has qualified for the post-season MIAA tournament in each season. In this time, the team has also won an amazing eight league titles (2009, 2010, 2012, 2015, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021).

In 2020, the team had an impressive 14-0 record and won the first ever Patriot League Cup Championship. In spring of 2021, the Boys team also had one of their best seasons to date, winning 10 matches and competing in the MIAA Tournament.

"Coach Niosi epitomizes everything that educational athletics should represent," said Quincy High Principal Lawrence Taglieri. "Her



JACQUI NIOSI

program is built on fostering positive relationships, academic achievement, and commitment. Her knowledge and passion for the game is unmatched. The QHS community is proud and appreciative of all she has accomplished."

The MIAA highlighted Niosi for her "excellence of character, impact upon students and community and coaching credentials." The MIAA also acknowledged, "Niosi has impacted students by helping them develop their skills and values necessary for success in their lives." Outside of Quincy High School, Niosi is actively involved in the volleyball community. She serves on the executive board of the Massachusetts



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL girls volleyball team, coached by Jacqui Niosi, went undefeated (14-0) in 2020 and captured the first ever Patriot League Cup Championship. Niosi was recently named volleyball coach of the year by the MIAA.

Photo Courtesy Quincy High School

Volleyball Coaches Association (MAVCA). She helps in organizing the Mass Patriots Volleyball Club and she co-founded "Q-Clinics", a volleyball and basketball summer camp for the youth of Quincy. Niosi, along with other QHS coaches, also implemented the "F.A.S.T." program, a program that focuses on athletic strength training for Quincy High

School female athletes during the off-season months.

"Jacqui is top notch. Her program sets the bar high," said Quincy High School Athletic Director Kevin Mahoney. "She holds her athletes to a high standard and gets the most out of them on a daily basis. The culture that she has built within the Quincy High School Volleyball program is amazing and

this award is a culmination of the hard work and dedication that Jacqui has put into this program for the last 16 years of her career. If any coach deserves this presti-

gious honor, it is Jacqui. I'm extremely happy for her."

Niosi, along with recipients from other sports, will be recognized at the MIAA banquet in January.

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26. Robert Cannon 16:03 Personal Best

Total finishers: 190

Boukhtam 1st and Cannon 3rd among Patriot League Finishers

GIRLS QNQ FINISHERS

5. Salma Boukhtam 18:30 Personal Best
22. Aluna Coogan-Coyne 19:02 Best time for Wrentham course
Boukhtam 1st and Coogan Coyne 5th among Patriot League Finishers
Total finishers: 188

Generals Bridge Tree Lighting Ceremony Sunday

A tree lighting ceremony will be held Sunday, Dec. 5 at 5 p.m. at the Generals Bridge and Park, corner of Dunford Drive and McConville Way, Quincy Center.

Mayor Thomas Koch and the City of Quincy invite families of currently serving service men and women from Quincy to fill out a ribbon on the evening of the event with your service per-

son's name. The Christmas Tree in the Generals Park will be decorated with each

ribbon.

For more information, contact Kerin O'Toole in the

Mayor's Office at 617-376-1990 or email kotoole@quincyma.gov.

First Baptist Church Of Wollaston

First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, is open for everyone.

For those who have not fully vaccinated, continue to wear mask and safe distance. However, on-line

worship will continue.

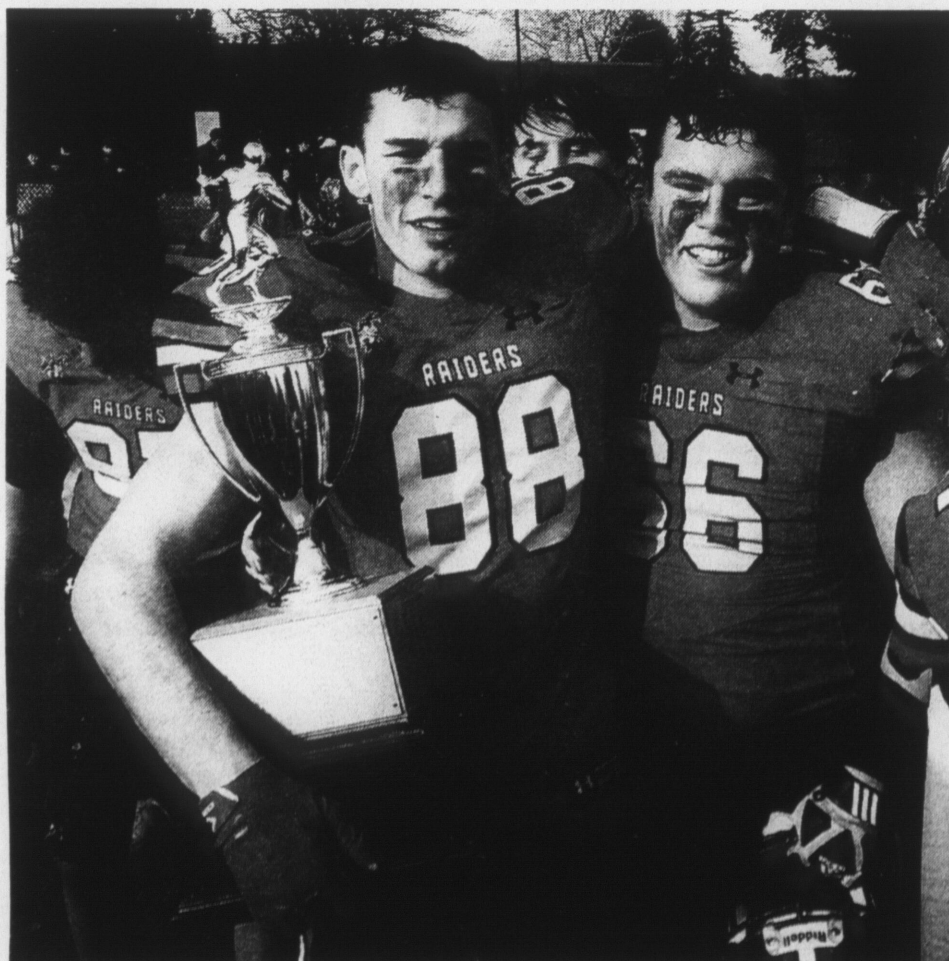
The online dial-in/Zoom weekly meeting schedule:

• Sunday 9:30 a.m. Vietnamese Worship Service @ Fellowship Hall: Pastor Duc

• Sunday 10:30 a.m. English Worship Service – Interim Pastor: Rev Bill Swilling

• Thursday 6:30 PM Bible Class – Book of Revelation – Pastor Paul Lee

• Friday 11 a.m. Prayer Group Meeting
For more information call 617-472-0824.



ALL SMILES after North Quincy's 15-12 win over Quincy are Raiders Colm Geary (left, #88) and Brandon Baker (right, #66) who hold the city football championship trophy. More coverage of this year's Thanksgiving Day football game begins on Page 19.

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Thursday, December 2
2:00pm: MBTA Bus Facility Meeting (11/18/21)
6:00pm: Bethany Congregational Church

Friday, December 3
11:30am: LIVE: Currently in Quincy
7:00pm: AM Quincy: State Rep. Tackey Chan

Saturday, December 4
12:00pm: Quincy Christmas Parade
2:00pm: Thanksgiving Football

Sunday, December 5
11:30am: Good News
1:00pm: The Call

Monday, December 6
11:30am: LIVE: Currently in Quincy
8:00pm: QPS 'Tis the Season Concert

Tuesday, December 7
7:00am: LIVE: AM Quincy with Joe Catalano
7:00pm: AM Quincy: Mayor Thomas Koch

Wednesday, December 8
6:00pm: Good News
7:00pm: The Call

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Thursday, December 2
3:00pm: Concerts at the Crane: Liana Paniyeva
6:00pm: At Your Library: December Happenings

Friday, December 3
12:30pm: Finding Strength & Balance with Maggie
6:30pm: FYI, QHD: Seasonal Flu
7:00pm: Good Deeds: Norfolk Registry of Deeds
8:00pm: In Concert: Charles River Sinfonietta IV

Saturday/Sunday, December 4/5
10:00am: At Your Library, December Happenings
11:00am: TCPL: Aging Strong & Falls Prevention
12:00pm: MA House of Representatives Sessions
8:30pm: State View: Senator John Keenan

Monday, December 6
1:30pm: TCPL Presents: 100 Days in Vietnam
6:50pm: LIVE, Quincy City Council

Tuesday, December 7
10:00am: Kennedy Center: Exercise With Karen
4:00pm: LIVE, Board of License Commissioners

Wednesday, December 8
11:00am: TCPL: Aging Strong & Falls Prevention
7:00pm: Quincy City Council, 12/6

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Quincy Choral Society Holiday Concert Dec. 12

Under the direction of Artistic Director Sarah Labrie, Quincy Choral Society will present "Somewhere in my Memory," celebrating everything we love about the warmth, love, traditions, and music of the season.

The performance will include music from Johann Sebastian Bach, George Frideric Handel, and Gustav Holst to works by contemporary composers Elaine Hagenberg and Andre Thomas. The featured holiday masterworks will be "Songs of Freedom: A Celebration of Chanukah" by Judith Clurman and "Missa Carolae" by James Whitbourn.

"Songs of Freedom" is a collection of familiar Chanukah songs adapted to form a cantata for choir, instruments, and baritone solo. The multi-movement "Missa Carolae" is performed with brass and percussion. The Latin mass text is set among traditional carol tunes found in Europe, making this a unique new composition for the holiday season.

The performance will be held at St. Mary of the Hills Church, 29 St. Mary's Rd., Milton, on Sunday, Dec. 12 at 4 p.m. In compliance with Theaters and Performance Venues MA Safety Standards, audience members will be required to wear masks. The church is handicapped accessible. Tickets are \$20 and will be available at the door.

Named Quincy Choral Society's sixth Music Di-

rector in 2020, Sarah Labrie holds a Bachelor of Music in Music Education from Westminster Choir College. She received both her Master of Music and Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study in Choral Conducting from Messiah University in July 2021. A Boston-based conductor, Ms. Labrie is also the Artistic Director of Velliehor Vocal Ensemble, a professional chamber choir, and is one of the choral directors at Stoughton High School, where she works with four curricular and two extra-curricular choirs. In addition to conducting and teaching, she actively sings with the Tanglewood Festival Chorus and in various choral performances throughout the U.S. and Europe.

Virginia "Gingy" Grimes, a graduate of Duke University, has served as accompanist for Quincy Choral Society since 1993. She is also Minister of Music at First Parish, Norwell, Music Director for the Pierce Players of the Milton Public Schools, and Music Director for Derby Summer Arts in Hingham. She is pianist for North Quincy and Quincy High Schools, for Hanscom Middle School in Bedford, and for Temple Beth David, Canton, during High Holy Days. Ms. Grimes also teaches and accompanies at Milton Academy. She has been musical director for several theater productions including Stephen Sondheim's A Little Night Music and Alan Mencken's Little



QUINCY CHORAL SOCIETY will present its holiday concert "Somewhere in my Memory" Sunday, Dec. 12 at 4 p.m. at St. Mary of the Hills Church, 29 St. Mary's Rd., Milton. In compliance with Theaters and Performance Venues MA Safety Standards, audience members will be required to wear masks. The church is handicapped accessible. Tickets are \$20 and will be available at the door. *Courtesy Photo*

Shop of Horrors.

Quincy Choral Society was founded in 1981 for the purpose of bringing musi-

cal excellence to the South Shore and the world.

Quincy Choral Society is a 501(c)(3) organiza-

tion, and donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. If you would like additional information

about this and future concerts, visit quincychoral.org and "Like" us on Facebook.

QArts Gallery Opens At 1229 Hancock St.

By QUINCY ART ASSOCIATION

The QArts Gallery opened recently on the wings and prayers of members of the Quincy Art Association who held on to the vision of someday having a gallery where the public could see what amazing works of art were being created right here in our neighborhoods and nearby communities. Many of those members are no longer here, but many are and have continued pushing toward this dream. Well, the dream became a reality, and the Quincy Art Association

welcomed the public to its first members exhibit in a dedicated gallery space.

Since the ribbon cutting, grand opening, and debut Members Show currently on exhibit through December, plans are underway for new exhibitions, and gallery events.

The QArts Gallery Small Works Holiday Sale is underway. Stop in and shop our locally made fine art paintings, photography, and fine art objects. Give a gift of art and support local artists.

Also, during the holiday season, The QArts Gallery will launch an Artisan in

the Window series featuring Surfside Ceramics, a Quincy family of potters, Teri, Richard, and Adam MacMillan. The MacMillans have almost 100 years combined experience working with clay and are currently focused on producing unique porcelain vessels with crystalline glaze. Their studio is a family owned and operated pottery studio in Squantum, Massachusetts. For more information visit surfsideceramics.com.

Thank you to The City of Quincy, Granite City Electric Supply Company/WAC Lighting, Eastern Bank, Quirk Auto Dealerships,

Dream Realty, Foxrock Properties, Northeast Community Bank, Wollaston Wine & Spirits, and Mass Cultural Council for their support.

Visit The QArts Gallery, 1229 Hancock St., Quincy, (across from Quincy College)

Gallery telephone number: 617-302-3969, email: quincyartma@yahoo.com. For more information visit www.quincyartma.org

General Hours: Wednesday - Friday: 2 to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. Dec. 24 closing at 4 p.m. Reopens Wednesday, Dec. 29.

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Joe Brill Remembered As Veterans' Advocate, Baseball, Community Service

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brother's jersey that he wore to games.

In September 2014, nearly one year to the day after his heart attack, Mr. Brill had the opportunity to throw out the ceremonial first pitch at a Red Sox home game against the Baltimore Orioles, joined on the mound by the EMTs who had rushed to his aid.

"Life can be gone in an instant," Mr. Brill said in a 2014 interview reflecting on the events of the prior 12 months. "Enjoy life."

In recent years, Mr. Brill had also been involved in the effort to restore a 1924 carousel his grandfather Dominick DeAngelis had operated on Fensmere Street in Houghs Neck from 1940 to 1954. That carousel had sat in pieces under the Brill family home in Houghs Neck for years before being relocated to Ohio in 1988.

In 2016, a group of Buffalo, New York, residents

looking to bring a historic carousel to city agreed to purchase and restore the ride. The carousel reopened this Memorial Day weekend at its new home on the shores of Lake Erie.

Mr. Brill had a chance to see the carousel in person this spring and helped assemble it.

"I was in tears," he said in a March interview. "These are pieces I played on as kids. My friends in the neighborhood came and played and we crawled under the porch over them and everything else."

"Quincy has lost a favorite son and longtime devoted and selfless community volunteer," said Quincy Sun publisher Robert Bosworth, a member of the Sons of the American Legion and friend of Mr. Brill. "If there was a community cause in Quincy, you would find Joe Brill - not just helping but making sure things got done. He

was not just a 'joiner' he was a 'doer.'

"Quincy is a better place because Joe Brill cared so much for the city he loved. On behalf of The Sun we express our sincerest condolences to Joe's family," Bosworth added.

In addition to his wife, Terry, Mr. Brill is survived by a daughter, Victoria Brill, and a son, Andrew Pangraze.

Visiting hours for Mr. Brill will be held on Sunday, Dec. 5, from 2 to 6 p.m. at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Following the funeral Mass, Mr. Brill will be interred at Pine Hill Cemetery in Quincy.

Mr. Brill's obituary was not available at press time.

It will be published on The Quincy Sun website, thequincysun.com, once it is available and also appear in print Dec. 9.

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CITY FOOTBALL CHAMPS – North Quincy Raiders celebrate with the city football championship trophy after it was presented to the team by Quincy School Supt. Kevin Mulvey following the team's 15-12 win over the Quincy Presidents in the 89th city football championship Thanksgiving Day at Veterans' Memorial Stadium. *Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth*

Raiders Rally To Repeat As City Football Champs

89th City Football Championship Final Score: North Quincy 15, Quincy 12

By TOM JOYCE

Call it a comeback for the North Quincy High football team.

While their rival, the Quincy High Presidents, scored early in their in-city Thanksgiving Day rivalry game at Veterans' Memorial Stadium, the Raiders capitalized on offensive chances later in the game -- includ-

ing their final opportunity in the fourth quarter. The Raiders won 15-12 on Thanksgiving this year, ending their season at 5-5. With the loss, the Presidents fell to 4-6.

"We won in the spring. That was still Thanksgiving. It was on this field, it was against Quincy so we considered that a win," Raiders head coach Ryan Craig said.

"We're the first team to win twice in one year on Turkey Day."

The Raiders initially trailed 12-0 but managed to make the comeback. The game-winning drive began from their own four-yard line with 4:07 left in the game after a strong punt from quarterback Drew Boretti (12-for-19 passing, 156

yards) from the 34-yard line that pinned the Raiders deep in their own territory. This came after a couple of incomplete passes and a false start penalty halted an offensive drive for the Presidents.

The Raiders had no issue moving the ball on their game-winning drive -- and penalties helped them move down the field quicker. They

had three 15-yard penalties go in their favor: two for pass interference and one for unsportsmanlike conduct. So while running back Matt Craig (17 carries, 100 yards) got six touches on the drive and had a pair of runs of 10 yards or more, the penalties were also key.

"The running game is our bread and butter," Raiders

head coach Ryan Craig said. "Sometimes in the game when things aren't going your way and you're trying to get back some positive yardage, you go back to what you do, and we ran the football. It gets us positive yards and we were able to gain a little bit of confidence and keep pushing the ball."

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RAIDER NATION – football players, coaches and cheerleaders – gather in the north end zone to celebrate the team's dramatic 15-12 come-from-behind win over the Quincy Presidents at Veterans' Memorial Stadium on Thanksgiving Day. With the victory, North Quincy repeats as city football champs as it defeated Quincy 21-0 on April 11 in the 88th meeting between the two schools. That game was a make-up for the 2020 Thanksgiving Day game that was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.



QUINCY JUNIOR wide receiver Jacey Ham hauls in a 53-yard touchdown pass from senior quarterback Drew Boretti in the second quarter to give the Presidents a 6-0 lead over the North Quincy Raiders in the 89th city football championship at Veterans' Memorial Stadium Thanksgiving Day.



THE PRESIDENTS added to their lead at 5:57 of the third quarter when senior Clayton Corley caught a 14-yard touchdown pass from Drew Boretti. That would be all the points the Presidents would put on the board as the Raiders scored two touchdowns - the first a six-yard run by senior running back Hunter MacIssac with two seconds remaining in the third quarter and then the decisive tally at 1:22 of the fourth quarter: Nate Caldwell's 10-yard touchdown reception from senior quarterback Cooper Hansen. Thomas Murray kicked an extra point on the first NQ touchdown and Nate Caldwell ran in the two-point conversion on the second North touchdown to make the final score North Quincy 15, Quincy 12. Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth

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After a 15-yard personal foul penalty moved the Raiders up to the 14-yard line, Craig had a six-yard run up the middle to get the team to the eight. While defensive back Jacey Ham had a deflection on the Raiders' next pass attempt and linebacker Brian Rodrigues made a tackle for a two-yard loss when the Raiders tried an outside run on third down, the Raiders had one more chance to score; they capitalized.

Quarterback Cooper Hansen (11-for-20 passing, 97 yards) found Nate Caldwell in the end zone; they connected for a 10-yard pass to take the lead with 1:22 remaining. The Raiders extended their lead to three points on a successful two-point conversion for Caldwell; he took a direct snap and ran it in three yards to make it a 15-12 game.

The game wasn't over after that, however. The Presidents made it down to the six-yard line on their final drive of the game, but could not score.

Jarod Walker gave the Presidents strong field position to start their next drive, returning the ensuing kick-off to the 48-yard line. A 27-yard complete pass from quarterback Drew Boretti to Jacey Ham (5 catches, 108 yards) got the Presidents down to the 21-yard line where Ham went out

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SENIOR FULLBACK Matt Craig (18 carries, 103 yards) eyes some yardage for the North Quincy Raiders.



SENIOR RUNNING BACK Hunter MacIssac tries to elude Quincy senior defensive lineman Nick Blasi as he picks up some yards for the Raiders. MacIssac scored North's first touchdown on a six-yard run with two seconds remaining in the third quarter.



NORTH QUINCY senior quarterback Cooper Hansen eyes receiver Nate Caldwell seconds before throwing a 10-yard pass to Caldwell which proved to be the winning points against Quincy. Protecting the pocket are from left Raiders Matt Craig, Samee Akhouzine, Harry Gaudiano and Grant Murphy.



QUINCY SENIOR quarterback Drew Boretti uncorks a 53-yard touchdown strike to wide receiver Jacey Ham for the Presidents' first touchdown.

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NORTH QUINCY defensive back Nate Caldwell (right) wraps up Quincy running back Jarod Walker.
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QUINCY WIDE RECEIVER Ruben Charles makes a fine catch down the sideline as North Quincy's Jackson Murphy defends. The play was called back due to a penalty on the Presidents.

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of bounds to stop the clock. A couple of other complete passes—a five-yard wheel to Walker and a 14-yard completion to Ham—moved the team up to the seven-yard line after being pushed back five yards due to a false start after the first completion of the drive.

While the Presidents had first and goal from the seven-yard line, they couldn't score. On first down, the Presidents threw an incomplete pass to the end zone. On second down, defensive lineman Brandon Baker pressured the quarterback and defensive end Grant Murphy sacked him for a five-yard loss. This forced a Presidents timeout with 30 seconds remaining.

Boretti then looked for Ham in the end zone on third down; the pass fell incomplete, but a pass interference call moved them

half the distance to the goal -- up to the six-yard line.

The Presidents looked to pass the next two plays, but couldn't find the end zone. Baker got a hurry on the quarterback on third down and on fourth down, the Presidents fired the ball to the middle of the end zone while facing pressure from the Raiders defensive line. No one was there to make the catch.

This resulted in a turnover on downs with 17 seconds left in the game. When the Raiders got the ball back, they knelt it down to end the game.

Late in the third quarter, the Raiders started their comeback after a fumble cost them what could have been a scoring drive.

The Raiders got the ball back after the Presidents second and final scoring drive of the game with 5:57 remaining in the third quarter.

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QUINCY RUNNING BACK Jarod Walker picks up some yards on the ground for the Presidents before he is tackled by North Quincy linebacker Cydney Green.



NORTH QUINCY wide receiver Grant Murphy (#4) reaches for a pass as Quincy defensive back Stephen Gallant defends.



PRESIDENTS RUNNING BACK Stephen Gallant rushes down the sideline for some yards against North Quincy. In pursuit are Raiders Cydney Green (#9) and Matthew Craig (#44).



PHOTO ABOVE: North Quincy wide receiver makes a reception for the Raiders as Quincy defensive back Jacey Ham moves in. Photo at right: Quincy defensive back Jarod Walker lowers his shoulder to tackle North Quincy full back Matt Craig. Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth



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ter. While the team started the drive with a run for a first down up the middle by Hunter MacIsaac (46 rushing yards) followed by a nine-yard run from Craig, a holding call on the next running play set them back 10 yards. After that, the Raiders looked deep. It worked. Hansen completed the pass, but the receiver fumbled. The ball came loose and rolled deeper into Presidents territory. Brendan Regan recovered the ball at his team's own nine-yard line, starting a new drive for the

Presidents.

The drive resulted in a three-and-out.

The Presidents had two successful run plays to start things: one for five yards and another for three yards. However, on third-and-two, Baker had a tackle for a loss, forcing a punt. The Raiders got the ball back around midfield.

The Raiders converted on third-and-two to start the drive on a quarterback sneak from Hansen. Then, a pass interference call moved them up 15 yards to the 25-yard line. After

that, the Raiders went to the ground; it worked. A nine-yard trap run from Caldwell got them to the 16-yard line and an outside run from Craig brought up first and goal. MacIsaac capped off the drive on a five-yard run with Craig blocking for him. The extra point kick from Thomas Murray was good, making it a 12-7 game with 1.8 seconds left in the third quarter.

After that, the Presidents moved the ball downfield, but their scoring efforts came up short. A 10-yard run from Rodrigues started a

strong drive and a few plays later, a 13-yard run from Stephen Gallant helped them cross midfield. Shortly thereafter, a 15-yard completion to Ruben Charles from Boretti got the team to the 30-yard line. However, a tackle for a three-yard loss by linebacker Cydney Green brought up fourth-and-long on the drive. The Presidents punted the ball down to the two-yard line, putting the Raiders in a tough spot.

The Presidents then forced a three-and-out on defense. On third-and-five, the Raiders had an incomplete pass as Ham made the hit for the Presidents. They punted and Will Ploof called for a fair catch at the Raiders 45-yard line.

An encroachment call against the defense resulted

in a first-and-five from the 40-yard line situation for the Presidents. They got the first down on a six-yard run where Rodrigues (10 rushes, 50 yards) put his shoulder down. The Presidents made it inside the 30-yard line, but a false start penalty set them back -- as did an incomplete pass attempt on third down. The Presidents then got a favorable roll on the punt that went down to the four-yard line with 4:07 remaining. However, the Raiders went on to have a go-ahead, 96-yard touchdown drive.

Earlier in the game, the Presidents scored twice.

The first time was a 53-yard touchdown pass from Boretti to Jacey Ham on a go route. Ham burned the opposing defensive back with his speed. The touch-

down came with 6:54 remaining in the first half. The extra point kick missed, so the Presidents led 6-0.

Additionally, the Presidents scored on their first drive of the second half -- and the Raiders scored their first touchdown of the game on the drive after this one.

Rodrigues moved the ball into Raiders territory with a 19-yard run on the second play of the drive while a 10-yard completion to Ploof on fourth-and-three kept the drive alive and got the ball to the 13-yard line. On second down, Boretti had a 14-yard touchdown pass to Clayton Corley to put the team up 12-0 with 5:57 remaining in the third quarter. The two-point conversion attempt was no good.



QUINCY RUNNING BACK Gabriel Rodrigues rushes the ball for the Presidents as North Quincy defensive lineman Harry Gaudiano pursues the ball carrier.



AFTER THE CONCLUSION of the 89th football championship, the rivals exchanged handshakes and hugs at mid-field. Shown here are from left to right North Quincy's Samee Akhouzine and Dylan Clifford and Quincy's Oscar Li.

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Quincy-North Quincy Marching Band Performs At 'The Game'



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North Quincy Cheerleaders Lead The Cheers For The Raiders



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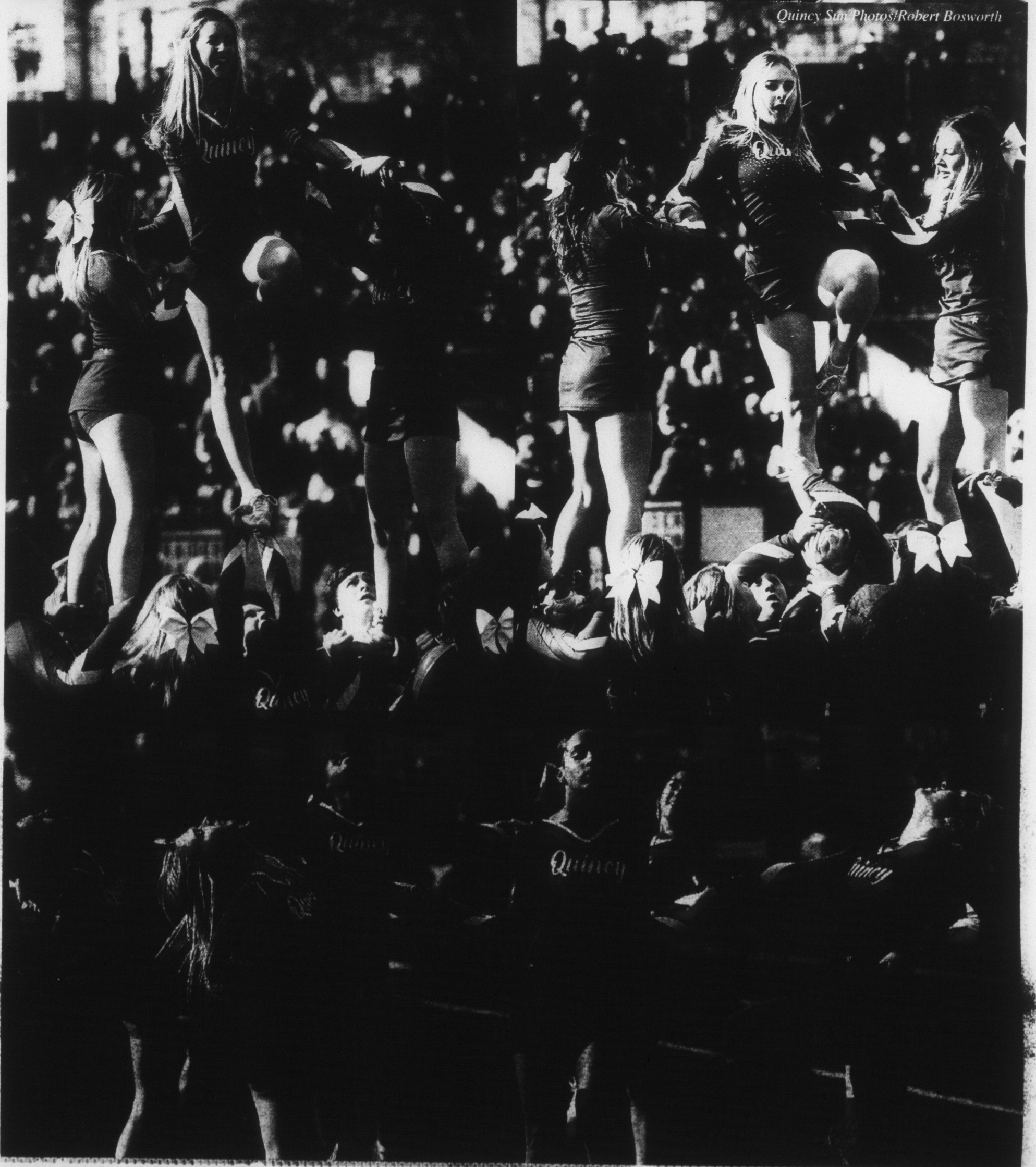
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Quincy Cheerleaders Lead The Cheers For The Presidents



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OBITUARIES

Brian E. Kelly, 62

Brian E. Kelly, 62, of Charlotte, NC, passed away peacefully in his home on Nov. 17 after a 3 1/2-year battle with cancer.

A loving husband, devoted father, and lifelong Red Sox fan, he was born in Quincy on May 10, 1959, to his parents John S. Kelly and the late Helen A. Kelly. He is survived by his spouse, Renee Kelly and his two daughters, Stephanie Mercer (Cortland Mercer) and Caroline Kelly, as well as his brother and sister, Kenneth Kelly and Maureen Shepard. He is preceded in death by his brother, John Kelly.

A graduate of Quincy High School and Boston College, Mr. Kelly was an accomplished wrestler. He would go on to have a successful corporate career, but always cited the wrestling mat as the source of the dedication, hard work, and integrity that would become hallmarks of his professional reputation. Mr. Kelly began on the ground floor of the telecommunications industry selling cable subscriptions door to door in the Boston area before climbing the corporate ranks and holding a variety of senior leadership roles. He retired as the chief marketing officer of a leading national cable company and the recipient of numerous professional accolades and industry awards.

Mr. Kelly prided himself



BRIAN E. KELLY

on his professional accomplishments, but his deepest commitments were to his faith, his friends, and his family. He lived a full life of rich experiences: cycling the Italian countryside, playing the links at the Old Course at St. Andrews, coaching Stephanie's youth soccer team, and watching Caroline's theatre productions, all while cheering tirelessly for the Red Sox, Celtics, and Patriots. He is loved and will be missed by all who knew him.

Memorial donations may be made to the Levine Cancer Institute via its website at atriumhealthfoundation.org or the Red Sox Foundation at redsoxfoundation.org/BrianKelly.

A visitation will be held at 10 a.m. on Dec. 16 at St. Gabriel Catholic Church in Charlotte, NC followed by a funeral Mass at 11 a.m. You may view the livestream of the funeral at stgabrielchurch.org/livefunerals.

Bridget A. Donovan, 83

A funeral Mass for Bridget A. "Bridie" (Nolan) Donovan, 83, of Quincy, formerly of Kingston and Braintree, was celebrated Wednesday in St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mrs. Donovan died peacefully Nov. 21 at her son's home in New Hampshire, and surrounded by her loving family.

She was born on July 4, 1938, in Galway City, Ireland, and was the daughter of the late Michael J. and Winifred Una Nolan. She was raised in Galway and attended local schools. In 1959, at the age of 21, Mrs. Donovan fearlessly immigrated to the United States. She lived in New Jersey and South Boston, before making Quincy her new home in 1973.

Mrs. Donovan was a devoted wife and mother, who raised her family with strong values. She valued education and hard work and saw to it that her children had all the opportunities they wanted in life. Leading by example, Mrs. Donovan taught her family how to succeed.

She was always an active and engaged mother, but when she became a grandmother, it changed her life completely. She never missed any of her grandchildren's events or extracurricular activities. Family was very important to Mrs. Donovan and her children and grandchildren were her pride and joy.

Those who knew Mrs. Donovan, knew that she lived her life to the fullest. She enjoyed traveling around the world, experiencing new cultures, and meeting people. A social butterfly, others were drawn to Mrs. Donovan for her warm, vibrant, and straight shooter personality. She was a hot ticket and enjoyed telling a great story. Being an avid reader, Mrs. Donovan was a wealth of knowledge over a broad range of topics. Her children and grandchildren enjoyed listening to her tell stories of her childhood, growing up in Ireland and sharing history. In her spare time, Mrs. Donovan loved going out to dine with family and friends. She es-

pecially enjoyed her lunches with her "Irish Sisters."

Mrs. Donovan will be remembered most for her loving, supportive, and courageous spirit. Her life lessons and example are part of her legacy that continues through her family. She will be missed by all the lives she touched.

Mrs. Donovan was the beloved wife of the late James H. Donovan, who died in 2018. The two married on Oct. 26, 1963, at St. Peter's Church in Dorchester. Together they shared 54 loving years of marriage.

She was the devoted mother of James H. Donovan and his wife Alysha of NH, Brenda Mullins and her husband Michael of Dorchester, John Donovan and his wife Heather of Plymouth, and Brendan Donovan and his former wife Karen of Quincy. She was the loving grandmother of Brianna, Jake, Isabella, Nicholas, Emily, Kristen and Jimmy.

Mrs. Donovan was the dear sister of Phyllis Nolan of NJ, Catherine Silke and her late husband Gregory of London, Ann Nolan of NJ, and William Nolan and his former wife Gail of London. She was preceded in death by her siblings: Patrick Nolan, Bernadette McDonagh, and Michael Nolan. She is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Private interment.

Memorial donations may be made to the Home Health Foundation, Attn: Community Engagement, 360 Merrimack St., Building 9, Lawrence, MA 01843 or by visiting homehealthfoundation.org/donate.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.



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Joseph T. Sloan, 60

Joseph T. Sloan, age 60, of Lakeville, formerly of Quincy, died suddenly Nov. 17 at home.

Mr. Sloan was born in Boston, raised and educated in South Boston. He graduated from South Boston High School, Class of 1979, where he was a member of the National Honor Society. Mr. Sloan lived in Lakeville for fifteen years, previously in Quincy.

He worked with the Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance as a maintenance technician and courier for many years.

Mr. Sloan and his family shared many memories at their cottage on Long Pond in Lakeville. He enjoyed boating and fishing. Joseph was also an avid bowler.

Beloved son of Lawrence J. and Virginia B. (Frost) Sloan of Braintree. Devoted brother of Cheryl A. Trocki and her husband William of Braintree, Laura L. Amante and her husband David of Plainville. Loving uncle of Steven A. Trocki and his wife Jill of Weymouth, and



JOSEPH T. SLOAN

Katelyn A. Reaney and her husband Mike of N. Easton. Loving grand-uncle of Paulina and Daisy. Mr. Sloan is also survived by many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

At the request of the family, services will be private.

Memorial donations may be made to the Lakeville Animal Shelter, 8 Montgomery St., Lakeville, MA 02347.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave, Quincy.

John R. Prescott, 91

A funeral Mass for John R. "Bob" Prescott Jr., 91, of Quincy, was celebrated Wednesday in St. Ann's Church, Quincy.

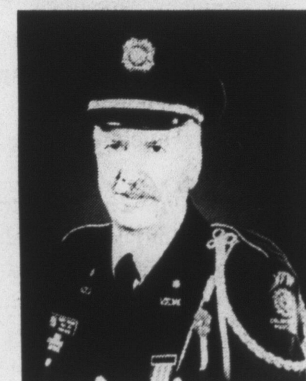
Mr. Prescott died peacefully Nov. 20 at the VA Hospital in West Roxbury.

Born in Boston on Dec. 8, 1929, he was the son of the late John R. and Helen F. (Farrell) Prescott. Mr. Prescott was raised in Wollaston, attended local schools, and graduated from Quincy High School with the Class of 1947. After high school, he attended Joliet Junior College in Joliet, Ill., where he earned his associate degree.

Mr. Prescott enlisted in the U.S. Army on Feb. 14, 1951 and was honorably discharged on Feb. 11, 1954; after serving his country during the Korean War, he later reenlisted in the U.S. Air Force on Sept. 21, 1955, and was honorably discharged on Sept. 20, 1959. Mr. Prescott proudly served his country during the Vietnam War.

Mr. Prescott was an electronics technician for many years. He enjoyed his work and the relationships he built throughout the years. Mr. Prescott retired in 2012 at the age of 82. He was past commander of the George F. Bryan VFW Post 613.

Mr. Prescott was the devoted uncle of David Prescott and his wife Sally of Lakeville, Daniel



JOHN R. PRESCOTT

Prescott and his wife Debra of Bridgewater, Michael Prescott and his wife Erica of Brockton, the late Darlene McMakin and her surviving husband Gerry of Berkley, the late Donald Prescott, Jr., and the late Mark Prescott. He was the devoted great uncle of Shannon, Kristen, Kelly, Maryann, Alison, Danielle, David, Shawn, Brittany, Donald, Christopher, David, Justin, Nicole, and Nicholas. Mr. Prescott was the loving brother of the late Donald Prescott, Sr. He is also survived by his dear friend Mary "Dolly" Colella of Quincy.

Interment and military honors were held at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675 or the charitable organization of one's choice.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.



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William M. Kenerson, 68

A Mass of Christian Burial for William M. "Bucksie" Kenerson will be celebrated Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in St. Mary of Assumption Parish, Hull.

Mr. Kenerson died Nov. 24 at the age of 68 in his hometown of Hull. His battle with serious medical issues in recent months showed his courage in facing life challenges with a smile.

He was the beloved husband of Julie Kenerson (Clancy) of Hull, with whom he shared 45 loving years of marriage. Devoted father of Sean and Kelly Kenerson of Hull, Timothy and Laura Kenerson of Marshfield and Robert Kenerson of Hull. Papa Bucks to William, Charles, Samuel, Joseph, Maxwell, Theodore, Christina, and George Kenerson. He is survived by his siblings Drs. John and Lisbet Kenerson of Hampton, VA, Paul and Lainey Kenerson of Wenham, Thomas and Hirty Kenerson of Manor, TX, Marie Kenerson of Sanibel, FL, Carol Wilson of Brighton, and Dr. Kevin and LuAnn Kener-



WILLIAM M. KENERSON

son of Yarmouth, ME. He is predeceased by his brother, Brian Kenerson who is survived by Kathy Kenerson of Aptos, CA. He also leaves behind many nieces, nephews, extended family, and dear friends.

Mr. Kenerson was born on July 17, 1953 to the late John and Marie (Parkes) Kenerson, raised in the Allerton Hill area of Hull. He grew up with a large extended family and many lifelong friends. Bill often spoke fondly of his close knit family of aunts, uncles, cousins, and grandparents.

Bill met the love of his life Julie (Clancy), whom he married in 1976. They spent the next 30 years in the Wol-

laston area of Quincy where they enjoyed raising their three boys and making lifelong memories.

Mr. Kenerson was a proud graduate of Boston College High School, class of 1971 and Bridgeton Academy in Maine. He was a 35-year member of Teamsters Local 25 as a mechanic at Stop & Shop. He was a lifelong member of Hull and Quincy Yacht Clubs and a member of the Nantasket Beach Salt Water and Hull Lions Clubs.

Bucks will be missed dearly, but we will think of him fondly when enjoying some of his favorite things; sailing in the bay, a game of cribbage on the front porch of the cottage or watching one of his favorite Hallmark movies. Love you Bucks!

Visiting hours were 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Pyne Keohane Funeral Home, Hingham.

Services will conclude at Hull Village Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the South Shore, 30 Reservoir Park Dr., Rockland, MA 02370.

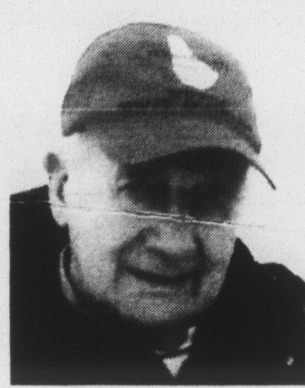
Leo R. Verrochi, 86

Leo Robert Verrochi, aged 86, of Quincy, died peacefully on Nov. 18.

Mr. Verrochi was born on Jan. 21, 1935, in Boston and raised in Dorchester on Wilrose Street, named in part after his mother, Rosina. He attended Boston Technical High School, then went on to graduate with a degree in civil engineering from Northeastern University in 1957. After beginning his career in Boston, Mr. Verrochi moved to southeast Alaska to build roads and highways throughout the region.

While in Alaska he married the love of his life, Lottie Minnie (Hellested), who came to join him from her home in Boston. In 1964, they returned to Massachusetts where Mr. Verrochi would complete his near 50-year career in construction, working on many infrastructure projects and mentoring the next generation of engineers and tradespeople, until retiring in 2006. Leo and Lottie shared a 60-year marriage, during which they had many adventures, including raising their four children: Melissa Gae, Leo Croce, Kara Rose, and Peter Louis.

As a young man Mr. Verrochi ran track, learned to fly, earning both pilot and instrument licenses, and also



LEO R. VERROCHI

served in the National Guard as a tank captain. He was a great fan of music and humor, an avid ballroom dancer, and continued to ski into his 70s. Mr. Verrochi earned his Coast Guard captain's license and was a lifetime member of the Dorchester Yacht Club and enjoyed boating with family and friends and passed on his love of sailing to his children. Mr. Verrochi was active in many community groups and could always be found enthusiastically supporting his children's many activities. Having grown up on a farm in Dorchester, Mr. Verrochi was an avid gardener and could be found working in his yard daily, giving him great joy until the end. He loved and was active in his church community, Faith Lutheran Church. There, he served as a deacon, church council member, and self-appointed arbiter

of coffee-hour. Mr. Verrochi also served on the Board of Directors at Camp Calumet in Ossipee, NH, where he and Lottie spent many summers enjoying family camp.

Mr. Verrochi is survived by his wife, Lottie, his children Melissa, Croce, and Kara, son-in-law Edward Silva, daughter-in-law Susan Wyard Verrochi, grandchildren Paris and Henry Wyard, as well as many cousins, nieces, and nephews. He was preceded in death by his four brothers, two sisters, and son Peter. Truly blessed, Mr. Verrochi will be missed by a loving network of relatives, friends, and colleagues with whom he shared his opinions, advice, and numerous humorous stories.

A wake is scheduled from 3 to 7 p.m. on Friday at the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

A service in celebration of his life will be held on Saturday at 11 a.m. in Faith Lutheran Church, Quincy, where a facial mask and maintaining social distance protocols will be required.

A time of fellowship and good cheer will follow.

Funeral arrangements were made by Hamel-Lydon Chapel & Cremation Service of Massachusetts, 650 Hancock St., Quincy.

Anna M. Hutchings

A funeral Mass for Anna M. (Graham) Hutchings of Squantum will be celebrated Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Hutchings died Nov. 24.

Born Aug. 26, 1932 to the late Frederick and Sarah (Moran) Graham. She graduated from North Quincy High School and was called "The Giant" because of her larger than life personality. Mrs. Hutchings worked as a waitress at the Mug & Muffin and was a teacher's aide with mentally challenged children at Squantum School. She retired as an office clerk for Stop & Shop.

Mrs. Hutchings enjoyed making quilts for family and friends, playing cards on Saturday nights, praying the rosary every day, and dancing with the love of her life, Hutch. She was an outgoing little ball of energy who loved to laugh and talk to



ANNA M. HUTCHINGS

people. She was the last to leave the party and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Beloved wife of 65 years to the late Harold E. "Hutch" Hutchings, Sr. Cherished mother of Sharon Kimball and her husband Brad of Lenoir, NC, Regina Doyle of Pembroke, Michael Hutchings of Squantum, Thereša Vradenburg and her husband Jeff of Quincy, David Hutchings and his wife Deb of Quincy, and the late Harold E. Hutch-

ings, Jr. Devoted Grammie of Gwynne and Michael Doyle and his wife Amanda, all of Pembroke, Ryan and Nicholas Hutchings of Squantum, Sarah Hutchings of Mashpee, and Haley and Graham Vradenburg and Gavin Hutchings, all of Quincy. Great Grammie of Kaylin and Kylea Doyle of Pembroke. Mrs. Hutchings was the youngest sister and was predeceased by her 13 siblings. Also survived by many nieces and nephews and friends.

Visiting hours were 3 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

A celebration of life service will be held in the funeral Thursday at 9:30 a.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the Special Olympics, 1133 19th Street NW, 12th Floor, Washington, DC 20036-3604.

Alexander A. Parzych, 75

A funeral service for Alexander A. Parzych, 75, of Quincy will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. in Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mr. Parzych died Nov. 25. The beloved husband of 55 years to Kathryn (Manning) Parzych of Quincy. Beloved father of Kimberly, Alexander and Daniel Parzych and his wife Lori. Grandfather of Danielle, step grandfather of Rebecca Gray and Nicholas Gray and 4 step great-grandchildren. Brother in law of Rita Manning, Peggy Mullen



ALEXANDER A. PARZYCH

and her husband William and the late Roberta and Stanley Pridham. Son of the late Alexander and Louise (Santossu) Parzych. Brother of

Louise, Irene, Mary and Steven and the late John, William and Edward. Mr. Parzych is also survived by many loving nieces, nephew and friends.

A proud Vietnam Navy veteran. Mr. Parzych worked as a boiler plant operator for the VA Hospital in West Roxbury and retired from the VA Hospital in JP. He was the former owner of Bix Furniture in Watertown for many years.

Visiting hours are 3 to 7 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery, Quincy.

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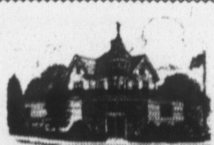
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OBITUARIES

Julie A. Manning, 52

A funeral Mass for Julie Anne Manning, 52, of Boston (Quincy) was celebrated Nov. 27 in St. Ann Parish, Quincy.

Ms. Manning died peacefully Nov. 16.

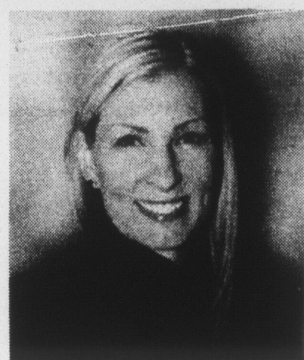
She was the eldest of

four children born to her adoring father, Robert J. Manning and her late mother, Diane (Miller) Manning. Dear sister of Bobby Manning and his wife Doreen of Shirley, Jeanne (Manning) Fernandes of East Bridge-

water and David Manning of Queens, NY. She leaves behind many nieces, nephews, extended family, and dear friends.

Ms. Manning graduated from Archbishop Williams High School in 1987. She attended Framingham State University where as a morning DJ she kickstarted what would become a long illustrious career in the music industry.

After graduating from Trebas Institute of Recording Arts in Los Angeles, California, Ms. Manning started her professional career at Sony Music. Wanting to return to return the East



JULIE A. MANNING

Coast, she moved to New York City and worked for many years in programming and artist relations at Radio City Music Hall and Madison Square Garden.

Ms. Manning's accomplished career in the music

industry did not compare to her fierce love of family and friends, and in 2017, her dream of returning to her beloved city of Boston came true when she became vice president and managing director of booking at the Boch Center's Wang and Shubert Theatres.

Ms. Manning's joy for life was reflected not only in

her dedication to her career but in her love of experiencing all things she encountered, travel, movies, dinners with friends, and most of all spending time with her family who she valued above all things.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Case ZBA 21-89

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The ZBA will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 @ 5:30 P.M. to consider the application of 10 ADELIN PLACE REALTY TRUST, ALFRED PECCE for a FINDING /VARIANCE to subdivide the lot into two parcels and for the construction of a two-family residence and maintaining the existing single-family residence in violation of Title 17 as amended, Chapter 4.1.1 (conformance) and Chapter 3.1 (principal uses) on the premises numbered 12 ADELIN PLACE, QUINCY.

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Topic: Zoning Board of Appeals

Time: Dec 14, 2021 05:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Case ZBA 21-90

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The ZBA will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 @ 5:30 P.M. to consider the application of Michael E. Bascomb, Trustee of DGB Trust for a Finding/Variance to renovate and convert the existing two large residential units into four (4) smaller units by splitting the large unit on the 2nd floor unit into 2 smaller units and by separating the 3rd floor from the second floor unit and converting the 3rd floor into a separate unit in violation of Title 17 as amended, Chapter 3.4.3 (nonconforming structure) and Chapter 4.0 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 32 SPEAR STREET, QUINCY.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX RATE

In accordance with Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021 signed by Governor Charles D. Baker June 16, 2021, extending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, § 20, the City Council of the City of Quincy will be convening a Public Hearing via remote conferencing services on Monday, December 13, 2021 at 6:30 PM pursuant to the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40 § 56 as well as guidelines of the Massachusetts Department of Revenue in order to determine the percentages of local tax levy to be borne by each class of real property, as defined in § 2A of Chapter 59, and personal property in Fiscal Year 2022.

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Clerk of Council

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Case ZBA 21-91

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The ZBA will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 @ 5:30 P.M. to consider the application of JCBT Architect for a Variance to convert the existing single family, 1.5 story home into a 2.5 story duplex with a 2.5 story rear addition with proposed curb cut and driveway on the right yard with 5-6 parking spaces in violation of Title 17 as amended, Chapter 4.0 (front yard, left side yard, rear yard, FAR, lot coverage and paving setbacks) on the premises numbered 114 CURTIS AVENUE, QUINCY.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Case ZBA 21-92

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The ZBA will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 @ 5:30 P.M. to consider the application of Brian Franklin for a Variance/Finding to raze the exiting garage and breezeway and add a two-story addition to the left side of the house and a full 2nd story over existing house in violation of Title 17 as amended, Chapter 4.1.1 (left side setback) and 3.4.3 (finding) on the premises numbered 118 STANDISH ROAD, QUINCY.

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OBITUARIES

Marc A. Darois, 36

Memorial visiting hours for Marc A. Darois, age 36, a lifelong Quincy resident, will be held Saturday from 9 to 11 a.m. in the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Darois died peacefully Nov. 25.

Mr. Darois was born and raised in Quincy and was a graduate of the Class of 2003 at Quincy High School where he was a proud member of the football team.

He was an accomplished electrician and licensed journeyman and member of IBEW Local 103.

Mr. Darois enjoyed coin collecting, a hobby he shared with his father, Al. He also enjoyed fishing and was a sports enthusiast. Mr. Darois cherished spending time with his daughter, Sadie, and her mother, Erin.

Beloved father of Sadie M. Darois and loving longtime partner of Erin Smith of Wareham. Devoted son of Alfred A. Darois and his wife Aileen of Weymouth, Debra J. "Debbi" (Quintiliani) Zeboski and her husband Stephen of Holbrook. Dear brother of Matthew A. Darois of Holbrook and Jillian B. Darois of Weymouth.

Grandson of Adele (Besette) Quintiliani of Weymouth and her late husband Anthony Quintiliani and the



MARC A. DAROIS

late Sadie (Napoli Darois) Pittsley and Thomas Pittsley. Nephew of Denise and Wayne Milford of Quincy, Anthony and Laurie Quintiliani of Las Vegas, Nev., Adele Quintiliani of Weymouth, Paula Darois Verlicco of Weymouth, Thomas and Maureen Pittsley of Milford, the late Dana Sullivan and Lorna Darois. Mr. Darois is also survived by many cousins and extended family members and friends.

Interment at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Animal Shelter, P.O. Box 690088, Quincy, MA 02269-0088.

LEGAL NOTICE

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE
Docket No. NO21P2826EA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Division
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of:
John C. Canniff
Date of Death:
June 5, 2021

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner **Susan M. Stanley** of Boulder, CO

Susan M. Stanley of Boulder, CO has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

12/2/21

Beatrice "Bea" (Bennett) Lund of Quincy died peacefully on Nov. 22 surrounded by her family. She was 89 years old.

Cherished mother of Cathy Ann Bergen of Quincy, Barry Bergen and his wife Zhen of Quincy, beloved grandmother of Linda Bergen and her partner Edward Chapin of Randolph, Annie Bergen of Boston, and Alexander Bergen of Lowell. Loving great grandmother of Travis Testa and his husband Timothy of Honolulu, Hawaii, and Leo Cleary of Dorchester. Dearly beloved "Aunt Bea" to her many nieces and nephews. She is now reunited with her five brothers and sisters, Fred, Herb, Millie, Estelle (Dolly), and Caroline who have gone before her.

Born on June 9, 1932 in Amesbury, Mrs. Lund earned a degree from Boston State College, and made a career as a teacher in the Boston Public Schools system. A longtime resident of 1000 Southern Artery, she delighted in being a member

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Docket No. NO21P0679EA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
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Estate of:
Joseph B. Donohue
Date of Death:
October 5, 2020

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner **Margaret A. Donohue** of Brooklyn, NY

Margaret A. Donohue of Brooklyn, NY has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

12/2/21

Beatrice Lund, 89



BEATRICE LUND

of that vibrant community. Mrs. Lund participated in many classes and activities, including yoga, computer class, and her beloved meditation group. She loved spending time with her friends; having a talk, sharing a meal, and always having a laugh.

Quick to help out, Mrs. Lund was always there with a helping hand, or a willing ear. She had a beautiful voice and loved to sing. She was a member of the local chorus Belles and Beaux. She went often to Nantasket Beach, finding tranquility

and inspiration in the sea and sun. She loved, with a little paint, to turn ordinary rocks into works of art. Mrs. Lund loved sunflowers, geraniums, and dandelions.

Right to the end, she was excited about learning something new, making discoveries about the world around her, finding beauty in simplicity. She was a pillar of strength for her family; the glue that held it all together. She is missed every day. We will always aim to honor her favorite phrase: "Be friendly, kind, and generous."

A celebration of Mrs. Lund's life will be held at the Common Market, Quincy, on Friday from 1 to 4 p.m. Buffet at 1, eulogy and remembrances at 2:15.

Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army.

Funeral arrangements were made by Hamel-Lydon Chapel & Cremation Service of Massachusetts, 650 Hancock St., Quincy.

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Docket No. NO21P1699EA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Division
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Canton, MA 02021
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Estate of:
Joseph Bogdan Basine
Also Known As:
Joseph Bogdan Basine, Jr.
Date of Death:
May 19, 2021

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner **Zephyr B. Cabral** of Braintree, MA

Zephyr B. Cabral of Braintree, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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Docket No. NO21P2867EA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Division
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
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Estate of:
Mary F. Rossi
Also Known As:
Mary Frances Rossi
Date of Death:
March 18, 2021

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner **Sheila C. Harrington** of Pepperell, MA

a Will has been admitted to informal probate. **Sheila C. Harrington** of Pepperell, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. NO21P2922EA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Probate and Family Court
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of:
Dorothy E. Curran
Also Known As:
Dorothy Curran
Date of Death:
06/22/2021

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by **Marilyn E. Solich-Costa** of Tiverton, RI requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Marilyn E. Solich-Costa** of Tiverton, RI be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M. on the return day of 12/29/2021. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court.

Date: November 26, 2021
COLLEEN M. BRIERLEY
Register of Probate

12/2/21

PLEASE RECYCLE THIS NEWSPAPER

Morrisette Food Drive

By **GEORGE BOUCHARD**
Commander,
Morrisette Post

The Cyril P. Morrisette American Legion Post will be conducting a food drive for any Quincy residents that need extra help during the holidays.

On Wednesday, Dec. 8th members and volunteers will be on hand at the Post home at 81-83 Liberty St. from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the Legion Hall to distribute can goods, snacks, bread and vegetables to families who need that extra cupboard space filled. This will be our first food drive so please come pick up some extra food because we don't want any inventory when we are finished.

It will be first come first serve to all families in Quincy. The Morrisette family is a very proud and giving group - we are known to be the Post that honors the most when it comes to veterans issues but we also would like to help any families struggling this holiday season. If you need more info, call George Bouchard at the Post at 617-770-4876.

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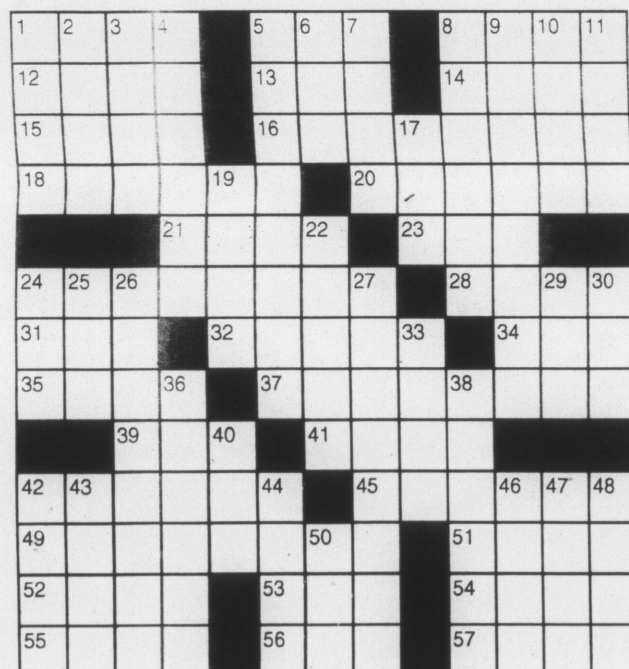
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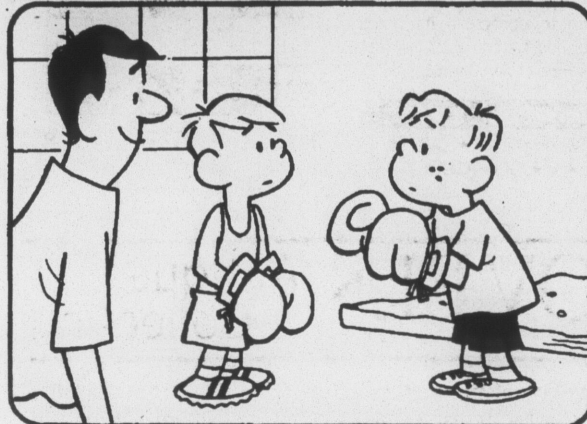
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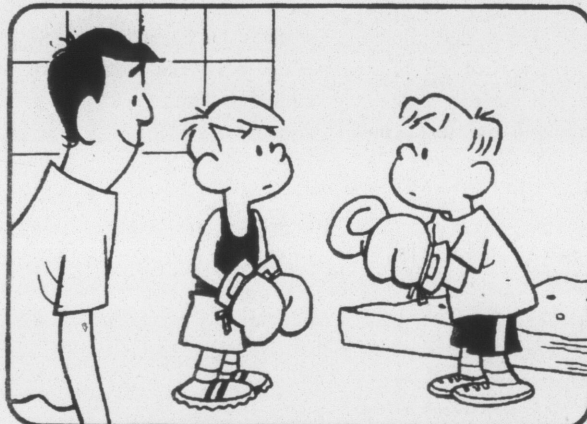
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BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Shirt is different. 2. Sleeve is shorter. 3. Freckles are missing. 4. Mat is thicker. 5. Stripe is added. 6. Nose is smaller.

Trivia test

1. GEOGRAPHY: What percent of the world's population lives in the Northern Hemisphere?
2. MOVIES: Which 1987 film contains the catchy line, "May the Schwartz be with you"?
3. LITERATURE: Author John Steinbeck contends that his dog ate the first draft of which of his novels?
4. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of parrots called?
5. MUSIC: Who is considered the "Father of the Blues"?
6. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the first sitting president to throw out the first pitch on baseball's opening day?

7. FOOD & DRINK: Which fruit also is sometimes called a "love apple"?
8. TELEVISION: Where do the vampires live in "What We Do in the Shadows"?
9. HISTORY: In what year did East Germany start to build the Berlin Wall?
10. INVENTIONS: Which scientist invented the color wheel?

- Answers
1. 90%
 2. "Spaceballs"
 3. "Of Mice and Men"
 4. A pandemonium
 5. W.C. Handy
 6. William Howard Taft (1910)
 7. Tomato
 8. Staten Island, New York
 9. 1961
 10. Sir Isaac Newton

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Wishing Well®

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Your curiosity might not be appreciated by everyone. Expect some resistance in getting answers to your questions. But stay with it. You need facts in order to make important decisions.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Some of the mystery surrounding your recent fiscal situation soon will be dispelled with a clear explanation. Use this new knowledge to help you chart a fresh financial course.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Start your holiday gift-buying now. This will help avoid problems caused by possible mid-December delays. A family member has important information.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Use a little more sense in how you plan to spend your end-of-the-year holiday dollars. Meanwhile, you continue to gain support for your stand on a workplace issue.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Wearing that big, loving Lion's heart of yours on your sleeve leaves it unprotected. Let things develop a little more before you allow your emotions to spill over.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to September 22) You might feel you're not ready to patch up an unraveled relationship. But the longer you wait, the more difficult it will be for all parties to take the first healing step.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your end-of-the-year holiday plans could be disrupted by something out

of your control, but stay the course. Ultimately, things will settle back into a normal pace.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your honest approach to a workplace project earns you both respect and credit from those in charge. Meanwhile, that personal problem still needs to be dealt with.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Money could be a little tight this month. This means the usually bargain-oblivious Sagittarian should look for ways to save on end-of-the-year holidays.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Examine the facts, and you might find that it's a wiser move to shift gears and redirect some of your goals before the end of the year. Someone close to you offers good advice.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Be careful that your generosity is not abused. Find out more, both about the special favors you might be asked to grant and who is asking for them.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You've come through a recent rough time in great shape. Congratulations. Now go out and enjoy your well-earned rewards. More good news comes in mid-December.

BORN THIS WEEK: You aim for truth, and you usually find it. Your honesty earns you the friendship and respect of others.

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: O equals M

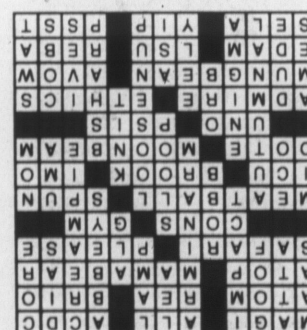
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King Crossword

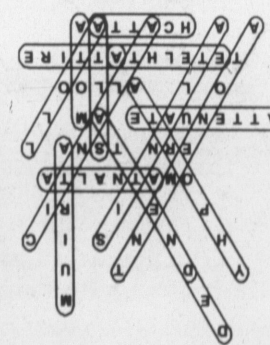
Answers

Solution time: 22 mins.



CryptoQuip
answer

Magic Maze
ANSWERS:



What amorous little sounds might you hear from people who are nestling comfily? Cuddle calls.

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C

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HOLLYWOOD

by Tony Rizzo

HOLLYWOOD — While most stars are going back to work after two years of the pandemic, Ryan Reynolds plans to take the next year off. His newest film, the \$200 million "Red Notice," co-starring Dwayne Johnson and Gal Gadot, opened Nov. 12, while his August release, "Free Guy," earned \$331 million. Next up are Netflix's "The Adam Project," starring Jennifer Garner, Zoe Saldana, Mark Ruffalo and Catherine Keener, opening in 2022, and Apple TV's \$75 million film "Spirited," with Will Ferrell and Octavia Spencer. Both are in post-production. We became aware of Ryan when he starred in the TV series "Two Guys, a Girl and a Pizza Place" (1998-2001), then came his breakthrough film, the title role in "National Lampoon's Van Wilder" (2002). Five films later, playing George Lutz in "The Amityville Horror" clinched his stardom. In 2011, "Green Lantern" flopped and nearly derailed his career, but it was "Deadpool" (2016), which he co-produced, and its sequel, "Deadpool 2," that each grossed \$785 million and made him very rich. Among the businesses he invested in was Portland-based Aviation Gin, which recently sold for \$610 million. "That's a wrap for me with 'Spirited,'" Reynolds said. "Not sure I'd have been ready to say yes to a film this challenging, even three years ago. Singing, dancing and playing in the sandbox with Will Ferrell made a whole lotta dreams come true, and this is my second film with the

great Octavia Spencer. It's a perfect time for a sabbatical from movie making. I'm gonna miss every second working with this obscenely gifted group of artists." He added, "My sabbatical could last two months to a year, but most likely it'll be a six-month break." Reynolds has been wed to Blake Lively since 2012, and they have three daughters, who he wants to spend quality time with.

Gal Gadot is giving "Wonder Woman" a rest as she takes on playing the evil queen in Disney's live-action "Snow White" (long on a back burner). Rachel Zegler ("Maria" in Steven Spielberg's "West Side Story") plays Snow White. They join 21-year-old Halle Bailey, who will take on Ariel in "The Little Mermaid," and Tom Hanks, as Geppetto in "Pinocchio." Gadot also plans to produce and play "Cleopatra," the queen of the Nile, in a new remake.

Matt Damon and Robert Downey Jr. are joining forces with director Christopher Nolan in the \$100 million film "Oppenheimer," with Cillian Murphy as J. Robert Oppenheimer, father of the atomic bomb, and Emily Blunt as his wife. It's due July 2023. Blunt is producing a Western drama miniseries, "The English," for Amazon Prime in Spain with an English cast. Hope Nolan can keep "Oppenheimer" from being A-bomb!

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GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★★
★ Moderate ★★ Difficult
★★★ GO FIGURE!

	-		x		21		
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	+		+		20		
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

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KOVELS' Antiques & Collecting

By Terry and Kim Kovel

Toy Tourist Bus — Buses were used for transportation as early as the 1820s, long before the modern motor was invented. They had horsepower — live horses pulled the bus. By the 1830s, buses were powered by steam, and in 1882, the first electric bus was introduced.

But the toy bus made after 1895 often resembled tourist buses used in a few large cities. It had a motor. The tourist bus had seats inside and out; if the weather was nice, riders could climb the stairs to go up to the top seats where tall buildings could be admired. There was no cover for the top.

The Kenton Hardware Co in Kenton, Ohio, made many small cast iron household items such as bookends, doorstops, small figures, ashtrays, cooking utensils and toys. A double-decker tourist bus was made in about 1900, followed by a second version in 1910. An orange one sold for \$1,020 at a Bertoia auction despite seven replacement figures with old paint. Many old iron toys have been copied; original toys should have a smooth, not bumpy, bottom. The seams between the molded parts must be tight and jointed with slotted screws. And most old toys have the maker's name impressed in the mold.

Q: Is there any way to test to see if an item is made of resin, bone or plastic?

A: Bone and resin are natural products. Bone has small black or brown pock marks called "marrow flecks." It's heavier than resin or plastic. Resin is an organic material made from plants and trees. It may have some tiny bubbles

in it. Plastic is a synthetic material and is harder than resin. Although a resin figurine is heavier than the same figurine in plastic, it is not as durable and is more likely to chip or crack if dropped.

CURRENT PRICES

Fiesta, sugar & creamer, shaped tray with tab handles, periwinkle blue, concentric rings at neck, sugar has lid with tapered finial, post-1986, tray 10 inches, \$40.

Doorstop, dog, Spaniel, seated, column & star decoration around base, pottery, Rockingham glaze, East Liverpool, Ohio, 1800s, 11 3/4 x 7 1/2 inches, \$375.

Sampler, alphabets, birds, flowers, Victorine Leonore Bonnegent, December 9, 1800, Bernay, Parish School of Sewing, August 12, 1808, silk & cotton on linen, frame, France, 12 x 13 inches, \$1,065. Poster, Beatles concert, Candelstick Park, Aug. 29, 1966, Here Come the Beatles, psychedelic design, yin yang circle with U.S. & British flags, Wes Wilson, paper, 24 x 17 inches, \$7,190.

TIP: Don't drag heavy furniture. Get some slider disks ahead of time and be ready when they are needed. The disks can be found at most hardware or big box stores.

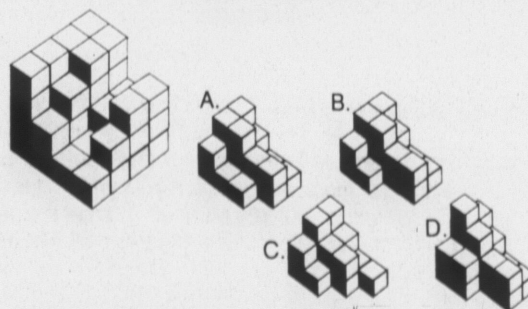
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STICKELERS

by Terry Stickels

The stack of cubes below was originally 4 x 4 x 4. Which of the following is the missing piece, which could be inserted upside down to complete the stack? Note: All rows and columns run to completion unless you actually see them end.



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Strange BUT TRUE

• During the first Gulf War in 1991, every U.S. soldier was sent a frozen Snickers bar as a Thanksgiving treat.

• Mario Puzo, author of "The Godfather" books who also helped adapt them to film, had no formal training and had never written a screenplay before. After winning two Oscars for the first two movies, he bought a book to help himself learn how to be a screenwriter.

• Delaware and Colorado allow a marriage to be annulled if it was performed as a dare.

• At the center of every snowflake is a pollen or dust particle on which an extremely cold water droplet has frozen to form an ice crystal.

• "Passion purpura" is the medical term for a hickey.

• Saccharin, the first artificial sweetener, was discovered by accident when chemist Dr. Constantine Fahlberg forgot to wash his hands after work and tasted something "unspeakably

sweet" during dinner. He interrupted the meal to sample every beaker in his lab, which fortunately contained nothing poisonous.

• The distress signal SOS does not actually stand for anything.

• "Buffalo buffalo Buffalo buffalo buffalo buffalo Buffalo buffalo" is a grammatically correct sentence using buffalo as a proper noun, verb and noun. To put it more simply: "Buffalo bison that other Buffalo bison bully also bully Buffalo bison."

• Donald Trump was the first president in 168 years not to have a pet in the White House.

• It took Frank Lloyd Wright 15 years, 700 sketches and six sets of working drawings to create the Guggenheim Museum in New York.

Thought for the Day: "The more clearly we can focus our attention on the wonders and realities of the universe, the less taste we shall have for destruction." — Rachel Carson

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Now here's a tip!

by Jo Ann Derson

• Got plastic packaging that's a pain to get open? Use your can opener. Run it around the sides to break into your packages. It works!

• For every side dish that requires extra preparation time, plan for one or two that don't. For instance, if you are preparing a casserole with many ingredients and complicated instructions, serve a package of vegetables that require nothing more than steaming.

• Wine buyers tip: Experts say to multiply the number of adult guests by a half bottle to determine how many bottles of wine to buy for your holiday gathering. Add an additional glass of wine per guest for every hour after dinner you expect guests to linger.

• How to peel potatoes: Boil whole potatoes with skin on for 20-30 minutes (depending on the size of your potatoes). You should be able to stick a knife all the way

through without resistance. Then remove them to an ice bath for 10 seconds each. The skin will slip right off.

• "Have kids make their own whipped cream with a jam jar! Fill a screw-top jar (glass, chilled, works really well) halfway with heavy cream, a little sugar and any flavoring extracts you like, then seal and shake. Kids also can make butter with cream in a jar. You may add a pinch of salt instead of sugar, and shake longer." — A.A. in Florida

• Researchers tell us that the best time to interview is late morning on a Tuesday. You will avoid the interviewer's likely Monday/Friday crunch, and have his or her full attention. Do your homework on the company, and get ready to shine!

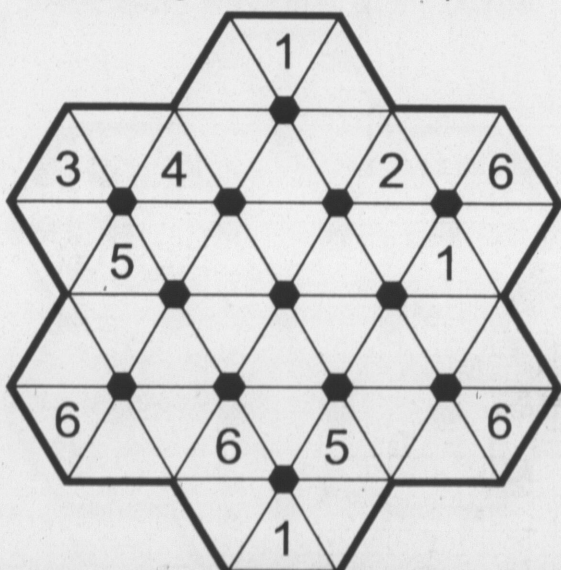
Send your tips to Now Here's a Tip, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



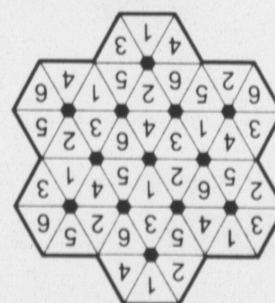
DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

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SNOWFLAKES

solution



Go Figure!

answers

28	25	26			
7	5	+		x	
20	8				
	+		x		
1	6	÷	4	+	2
					÷
	x		+		
3	21	x	1	-	8

Sticklers Answer

broken stack of cubes.

Figure B is the missing piece from the

Super Crossword

BEGINNING AT THE TOP

ACROSS

- 1 Skipper's site
- 5 Las Vegas attractions
- 12 Part of WMD
- 16 Dol. fractions
- 19 Safe, at sea
- 20 Venezuela's main river
- 21 Brand of skin cream
- 22 "— Abner"
- 23 Limit for riding a roller coaster, often
- 26 Oath reply
- 27 In — by itself (unique)
- 28 '60s muscle car
- 29 Port-au-Prince locale
- 30 Profound
- 31 Spherical bacterium, for short
- 32 Payoff of athletic training
- 35 "Othello" foe
- 37 Grammy category
- 38 Rapper Patty of Scandal
- 39 Animal that hunts, but isn't hunted
- 45 Is remorseful
- 48 Life's work
- 49 Frazier foe
- 50 Mauna —
- 51 Peel, as fruit

- 52 Preteen
- 53 It has a "3D White" product line
- 58 Reproachful clicks
- 59 Fish in a garden pond
- 60 Writer Levin
- 61 Be fixated
- 62 Company that owns Log Cabin, Vlasic and Mrs. Paul's
- 67 Decides to participate
- 71 Sallie —
- 72 Gp. backing arms
- 73 Auntie played by Lucille Ball
- 77 The Isle of Man, to Britain
- 82 Sealed up, as a package
- 83 Singer Basil
- 84 About half of all adults
- 85 Prevaricate
- 86 Lubing
- 87 Begins
- 90 NCAA conference of the Midwest
- 93 Barkin of film
- 94 Sinking ship's call
- 95 Hippie's "Got it"

- 96 Source of wacky products in Road Runner cartoons
- 102 Jab gently
- 106 Dress shirt ornament
- 107 Company shuffle, for short
- 108 PC undo key
- 109 Fetus' place
- 110 Grafton's "— for Alibi"
- 111 Onetime competitor of Magnavox
- 114 — polloi
- 115 Kitchen scraps
- 116 Discard from the memory
- 117 "Puppy Love" singer Paul
- 118 Kin of Ltd.
- 119 "To be," to Brutus
- 120 "My friends," in France
- 121 Vodka brand

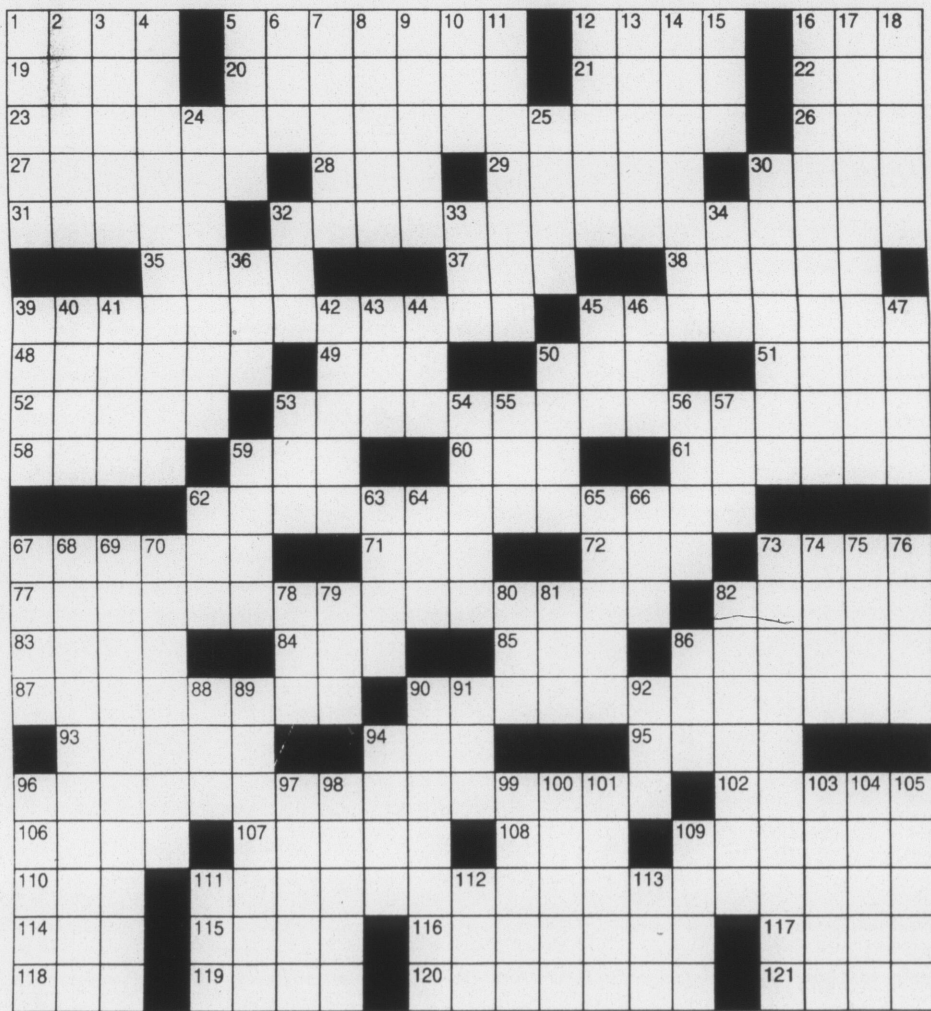
DOWN

- 1 Good laughs
- 2 Choose (to)
- 3 1983 J.P. Donleavy novel
- 4 Digital camera resolution units

- 5 Foldup beds
- 6 ETA part: Abbr.
- 7 Long attack
- 8 Photo-sharing app, for short
- 9 Totally unacceptable
- 10 Bar code-scanning gizmo: Abbr.
- 11 "That's how it was told to me"
- 12 Artistic theme
- 13 Supreme Court's Samuel
- 14 2015 and 2017 Best Actress nominee
- 15 Similar-meaning wd.
- 16 Set of regular customers
- 17 Tables with data on daily ebbs and flows
- 18 Steepness
- 24 Like the Greek letter eta
- 25 Type of fish that a
- 59-Across is

- 30 Places to get body wraps
- 32 "The Raven" writer
- 33 Positive aspect
- 34 Roman 2,050
- 36 Cur's threat
- 39 Bank stmt. ID
- 40 Oom — (tuba sounds)
- 41 TV's Estrada
- 42 Singer Bobby
- 43 Bar order
- 44 "— a pity"
- 45 Egg — yung
- 46 Scarf down
- 47 Poor grades
- 50 Bread buy
- 53 33-Down's opposite
- 54 Like mosaics
- 55 Uno + due
- 56 "Today" co-host Kotb
- 57 "Nova" ailer
- 59 Variety
- 62 ATM code
- 63 "That's right!"
- 64 Spam holder
- 65 "— had a secret love ..."
- 66 Suffix with contradict
- 67 They precede Nov.
- 68 Shelter
- 69 Key-centered compositions
- 70 Edified

- 73 Spanish dances like fandango
- 74 Happy as — in mud
- 75 List of dishes
- 76 Verge
- 78 Aussie bird
- 79 Verve
- 80 Stately tree
- 81 Takeaway game of strategy
- 82 Link with
- 86 Ancient
- 88 Sleuth, slangily
- 89 Noisy nappers
- 90 Tropical cereal grass
- 91 D.C.'s home
- 92 Spam holder
- 94 Variety
- 96 Tokyo beer
- 97 Sublets, e.g.
- 98 Social grace
- 99 Narrates
- 100 "— bad moon rising"
- 101 Philosopher with a "razor"
- 103 Bar order
- 104 Slimy
- 105 Think piece
- 109 Footed vases
- 111 Actress Saldana
- 112 Detroit-to-Montreal dir.
- 113 Hexa- halved



celebrity extra

by Dana Jackson

Q: I saw an ad in a magazine for a Hallmark holiday movie with Candace Cameron Bure and John Brotherton. I didn't recognize his name, but he looks like a soap actor from "One Life to Live," a soap I watched for decades before it was canceled. Was he on that soap? — S.W.

A: John Brotherton might not be a household name, but he's been accumulating credits since his first major role on, you guessed it, "One Life to Live." He played Jared Banks, a swindler and Buchanan heir imposter, on the ABC daytime drama for three years. He then did the usual round of prime-time guest-starring roles before being cast as Matt Harmon on "Fuller House," the Netflix reboot of "Full House," in which he had a romance with Bure's character, DJ.

Now, Brotherton and Bure are reunited in a new Hallmark original movie, "The Christmas Contest," in which they play exes who compete to win money for their chosen charities. Be sure to visit HallmarkChannel.com/Christmas and click on "schedule" to watch previews of the many heartfelt films that Hallmark has to offer this season.

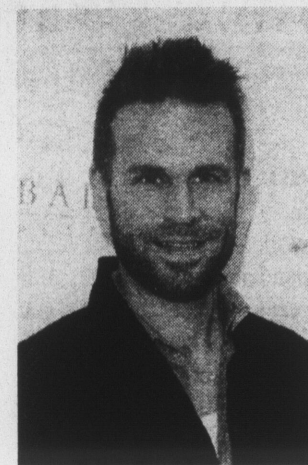
Q: Who are the new "Monday Night Football" hosts? It seems like every year they change. I miss the days of Howard Cosell. — P.S.

A: "Monday Night Football" premiered on ABC on Sept. 21, 1970, with the New York Jets versus the Cleveland Browns. The first trio of hosts were Howard Cosell, Keith Jackson and Don Meredith. A year later, Frank Gifford replaced Jackson. From 1987 to 1997, Gifford, Al Michaels and Dan Dierdorf were a ratings success, but ever since then various combinations of personalities haven't been as memorable. The big Monday night game moved to ESPN in 2006.

The current hosts of "MNF" are in their second year together. Steve Levy is the play-by-play announcer and has a long career as a sports commentator, including for NHL games. Brian Griese and Louis Riddick round out the "MNF" booth and are both former NFL players themselves. Griese was a back-up quarterback for the Denver Broncos when they won the Super Bowl in 1998. Riddick was safety and was drafted by the San Francisco 49ers in 1991.

Q: Whatever happened to Jussie Smollett after he was accused of lying about the attack against him? Did he go to prison? — Y.G.

A: Jussie Smollett had a very successful career in Holly-



John Brotherton

Photo Credit: Jean Nelson

wood, starring in the hit show "Empire," when he told police that he was the victim of a hate crime in Chicago. The tables quickly turned on him when Smollett himself was charged with 16 felony counts for allegedly falsifying a police report. The charges were eventually dropped by Cook County prosecutors only to be indicted again later by a special prosecutor. His trial is slated to begin in late November.

Even though his acting career appears to be over, Smollett is determined to move forward. He recently attended the screening of a film he directed called "B-Boy Blues."

Send me your questions at NewCelebrityExtra@gmail.com, or write me at KFWS, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

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|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1. J. Edgar | — — — — V — — | Tap dancer | — — — — F — — |
| 2. Subject matter | — — — — P — — | Liquid medicine | — — — — N — — |
| 3. Counterfeiter | — — — — G — — | Previous | — — — — M — — |
| 4. Fencer's weapon | — — — — D — — | Took an oath | — — — — E — — |
| 5. Pleat | C — — — — — | Lard | G — — — — — |
| 6. \$1000 | — R — — — — | Pituitary, e.g. | — L — — — — |
| 7. Advertiser's tune | — — — — N — — | Wobble | — — — — G — — |
| 8. Dog lead | — — — — H — — | Smallest amount | — — — — T — — |
| 9. Red gem | — — — — — T — | Gather together | — — — — — R — |
| 10. H2O | — — — — T — — | Las Vegas bet | — — — — G — — |

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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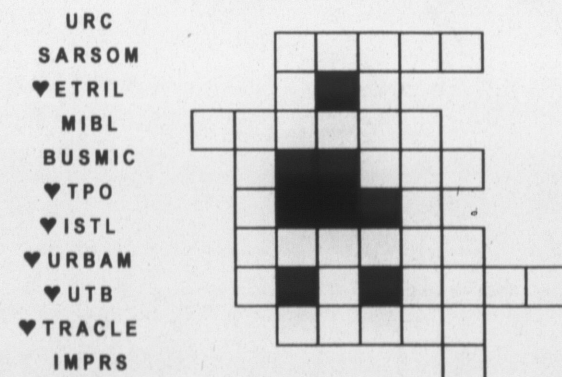
Super Crossword

Answers



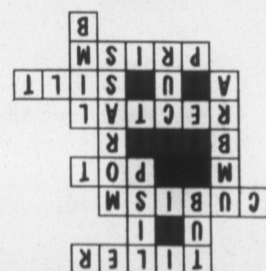
Even Exchange answers

1. Hoover, Hooper
2. Topic, Tonic
3. Forger, Former
4. Sword, Swore
5. Crease, Grease
6. Grand, Gland
7. Jingle, Jiggle
8. Leash, Least
9. Garnet, Garner
10. Water, Wager

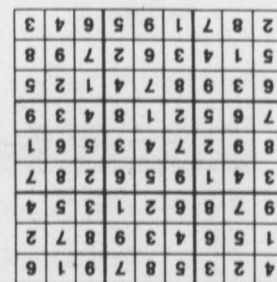


Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

FEAR & KNIGHT answer



Weekly SUDOKU Answer



D
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1

Amber Waves



Out on a Limb



R.F.D.



Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



LAFF-A-DAY



Conceptis Hitori

Each puzzle consists of a square grid with numbers appearing in all squares. The object is to shade squares so:

1	5	3	1	2
5	4	1	3	4
3	4	3	1	5
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The Best Leash-Collar Combo for Your Dog

DEAR PAW'S CORNER: I'd like to upgrade my Lab's collar and leash, because he's pretty powerful and tugs against his collar all the time until he starts to choke. What do you recommend? — Sara B., via email

DEAR SARA: I'm a fan of harnesses, especially for dogs that like to pull at the leash. A harness fits around a dog's front legs and torso, and has a top strap with a clip ring for the leash located between the dog's shoulders. It's secure and sturdy, it stays on your dog, and he won't injure himself trying to pull away from you. (You can also keep his collar on, mainly so his license tag is always visible.)

Some dog harnesses come with a sturdy handle sewn onto the top strap. It's not so much for picking up the

dog but is an additional point of control if you're worried about your dog bolting or jumping up on other people.

For the long term, of course, your Lab needs to improve his basic obedience skills. He should never tug at his leash, but should walk next to you. Putting him into a harness will give you more control. Dogs tend to respond more often to a tug on the harness, which applies pressure at several points rather than just around the neck. Those multiple contact points disperse pressure around the dog's torso so that he remains comfortable and uninjured, reducing anxiety and hopefully making him more receptive to training commands.

Harnesses are not as cheap as collars, but they're well worth the investment, especially when dealing with a strong, independent thinker like your Lab.

Send your questions, tips or comments to ask@pawscorner.com.

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TOP TEN VIDEO, DVD
for release week of
November 29, 2021

Video On Demand

1. Free Guy (PG-13) Ryan Reynolds
2. Stillwater (R) Matt Damon
3. Old (PG-13) Gael Garcia Bernal
4. Don't Breathe 2 (R) Stephen Lang
5. PAW Patrol: The Movie (G) animated
6. The Protege (R) Maggie Q
7. Dangerous (R) Scott Eastwood

8. Old Henry (NR) Tim Blake Nelson
9. Cry Macho (PG-13) Clint Eastwood
10. F9: The Fast Saga (PG-13) Vin Diesel

DVD, Blu-ray Sales

1. F9: The Fast Saga (PG-13) Universal
2. Zach Snyder's Justice League (R) Warner
3. The Grinch* (PG) Universal
4. The Suicide Squad (R) Warner
5. Godzilla vs. Kong (PG-13) Warner
6. Free Guy (PG-13) Disney/20th Century
7. Snake Eyes: G.I. Joe Origins (PG-13) Paramount
8. PAW Patrol: The Movie (G) Paramount
9. How the Grinch Stole Christmas* (PG) Universal
10. Black Widow (PG-13) Disney/Marvel

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Remembering Joe Brill

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friends, his fellow veterans and volunteers, and of course his family.

Joe experienced more than his share of tragedy in his life – and perhaps this was the root of his gratefulness just to be part of and serve the city he loved so dearly.

Joe lost two brothers when he was just a young man. Brother John Brill died in a tragic motorcycle accident on Quincy Shore Drive Sept. 4, 1982. A little more than a year later on Sept. 25, 1983, his brother Bob lost a courageous bout with cancer. Bob was a phenomenal high school pitching prospect who signed his first professional contract a week after graduating Quincy High in 1972. He was in the St. Louis Cardinals system when he became ill and Joe made it his trademark to wear his brother's baseball jersey at all the big games he attended.

He wore it underneath his Red Sox jersey when Boston defeated the New York Yankees in the 2004 American League Championship. He wore it at Busch Stadium in 2004 when the Sox swept the Cardinals 4-0 for their first World Series title in 86 years; and he had it on again when the Red Sox won it all in 2013 and 2018.

Baseball was a huge part of Joe Brill's life. He threw out the first pitch at Fenway Park on Sept. 10, 2014 and tipped his cap to

fans after throwing a strike to then Red Sox Jackie Bradley, Jr. Joe had been invited by the Red Sox to throw out the first pitch after recovering from a near fatal heart attack that he suffered while attending a game in 2013.

Joe wore his red Red Sox jersey for that special moment on the Fenway Park mound – but underneath it was brother Bob's Cardinals jersey.

"It was Bob's dream to play at Fenway and he never did – until the other day when I threw out the first pitch," Joe said in an interview a few weeks after his moment in the sun. "He was there with me."

Joe Brill and baseball. As natural a combination as peanut butter and jelly, surf and sand at the beach. Sure, Joe loved the competition and the off-the-field discussions about managers and pitching rotations but it was the people in Joe's life that made baseball important.

He told me in that same interview that his most cherished baseball memory was the night his brother Bob became a professional baseball player. He signed his first contract at 1 a.m. in the family home in Houghs Neck after Bob's longtime coach and mentor, Dave MacMillan, had arrived to witness the momentous occasion.

"You don't get any higher than that," Joe said. "But throwing out that first pitch is right there with it."

I am very, very blessed in my baseball life."

Joe and Dave had a mutual fondness and respect for one another. They were lifelong friends. Two months before his heart attack at Fenway, Joe emceed a ceremony at Adams Field dedicating the first base dugout to Dave MacMillan. Dave – a youth baseball coach for 50 years in Quincy – was surrounded by many of his former players as he threw out the first pitch before a Morrisette Legion baseball game.

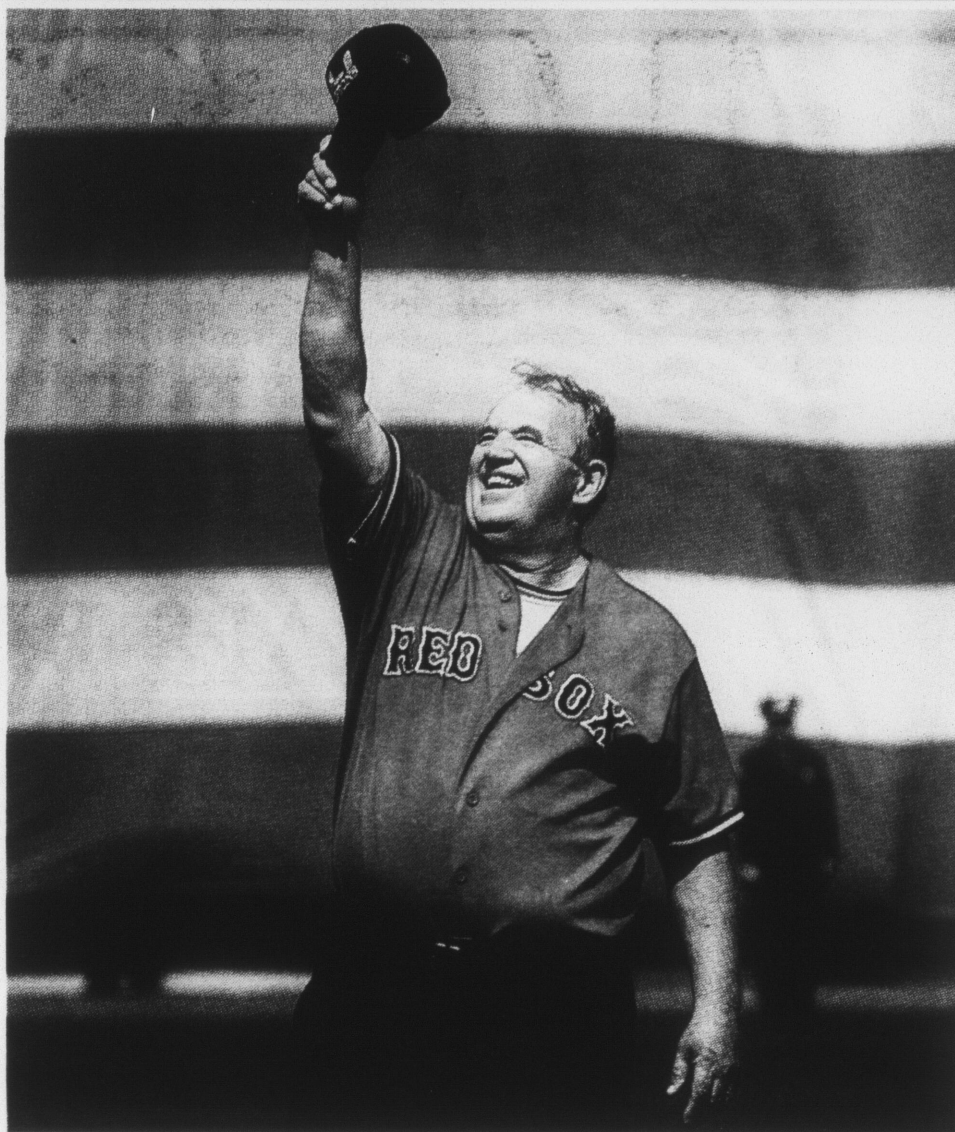
After Joe's heart attack, Dave MacMillan visited Joe's parents to comfort them and assured him he would recover.

"I was in the hospital and he was at my parents' house telling my parents – 'don't worry. If anyone can get through this, Joe will,'" Joe recalled.

A short time later, on Oct. 13, 2013, Dave passed away unexpectedly at the age of 75. The Brill family, knowing Joe and Dave had become close over the years, decided to wait until Joe was out of the hospital before telling him the sad news.

On the day Joe was released from the hospital, the first thing he did was attend Dave's wake at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals. He also served as an honorary pallbearer at Dave's funeral.

At the end of the interview, Joe told me the first pitch ceremony was still



JOE BRILL acknowledges fans as he tips his cap after throwing out the ceremonial first pitch at Fenway Park before a Boston Red Sox game Sept. 10, 2014. Mr. Brill had nearly died of a heart attack in September, 2013 while at the park and was invited by the Red Sox to return to Fenway for the ceremony. He called the ceremony one of the greatest moments of his life. Mr. Brill passed away on Thanksgiving Day. He is being remembered as a devoted community volunteer.

Courtesy Photo

surreal and hadn't sunk in yet. But he said he also had time to reflect on all the events of the last couple of years.

"In the snap of a finger, you never know," Joe said. "Maybe not to you but to someone else you love. Life can be gone in an instant."

"Enjoy life."

Joe Brill will not be forgotten in Quincy. He was a beloved man who was more than a baseball

fan. He was a selfless humanitarian who cherished his family, friends and so many others including veterans that he served with honor and distinction.

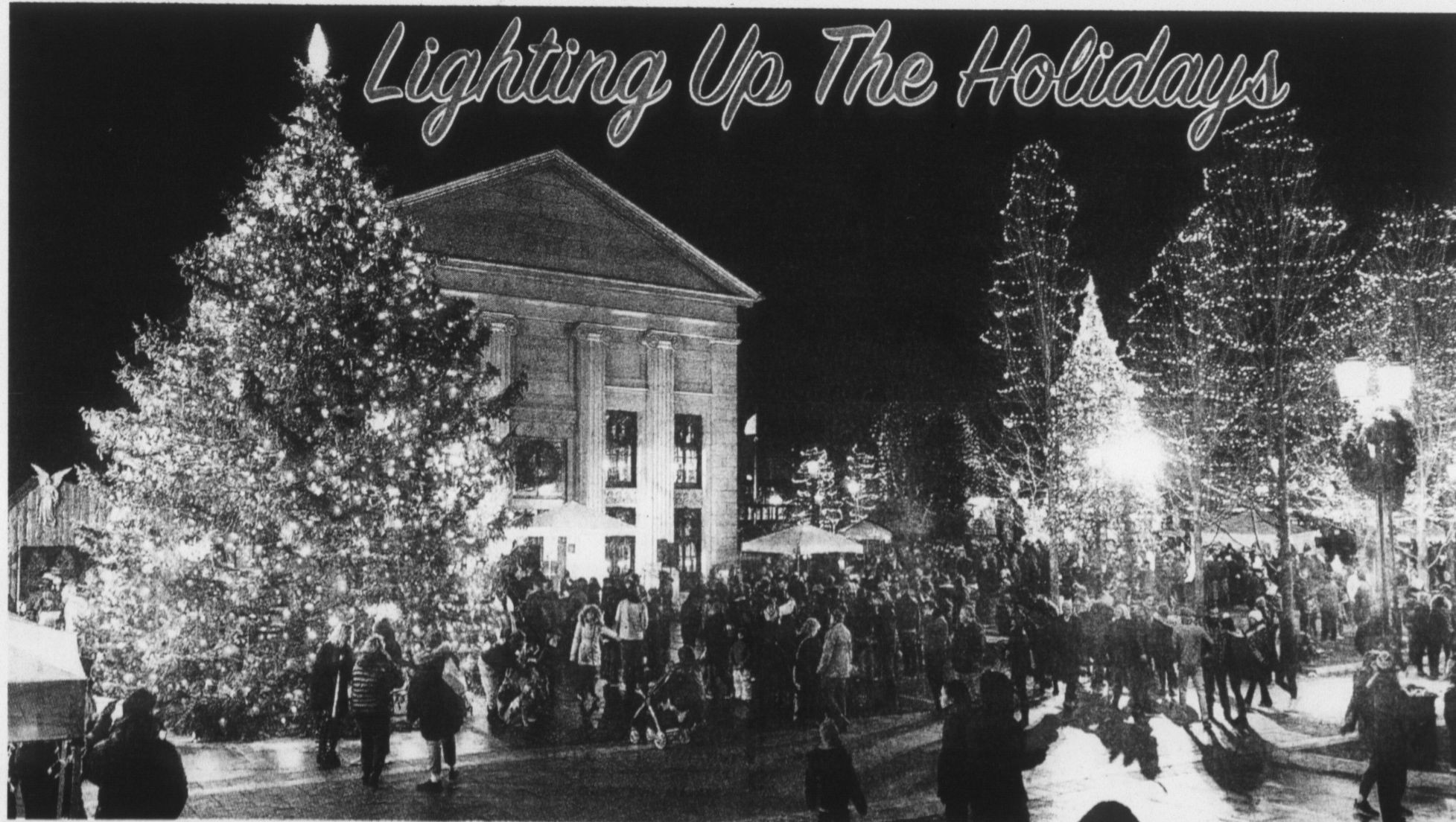
My humble suggestion to memorialize Joe is to name the Flags for Veterans Island intersection at School and Pleasant Streets in his memory as well in tribute to Paul Moody – the architect and founder of the island. Perhaps ceremoniously erect two signs

that bear the words "Paul Moody Drive" and "Joe Brill Way."

Thank you Joe Brill for all you did for Quincy and beyond.

You leave a void that can never be filled. But those who knew you and called you a friend should do their best to carry on your volunteerism, good deeds and selflessness.

It's the least we can do for someone who did so much for so many.



SEVERAL THOUSAND PEOPLE turned out for the tree lighting ceremony at Hancock-Adams Common Nov. 26. Two Christmas trees (foreground left and background right) and other holiday lights were illuminated at 6:30 p.m. officially ushering in the start of the holiday season in Quincy. On Sunday, the first candle on a menorah that is also set up in the common was lit at a ceremony marking the beginning of Chanukah. This view is from the steps of United First Parish Church looking toward the James R. McIntyre Government Center. Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Bosworth



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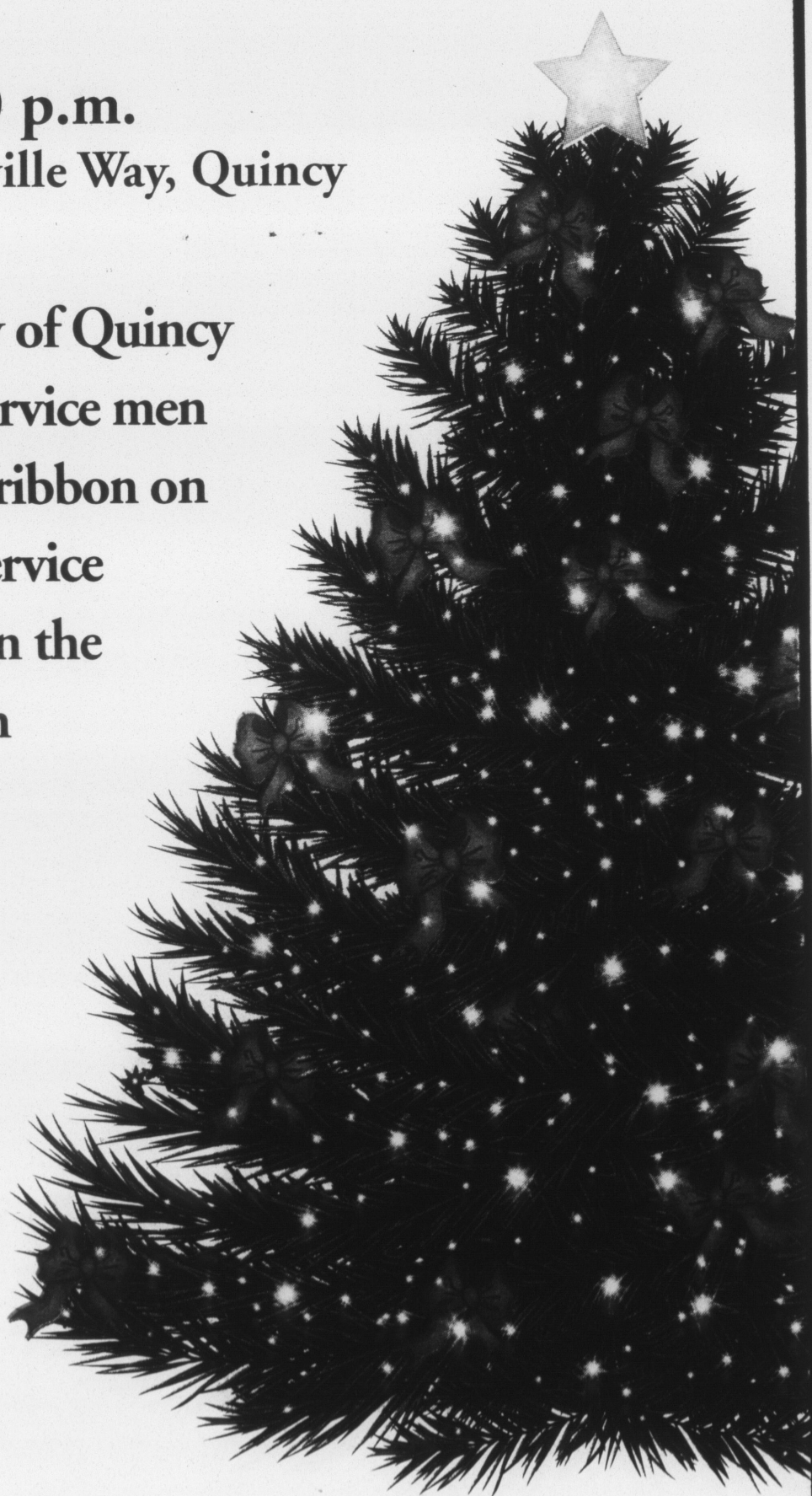
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Mayor Thomas P. Koch and the City of Quincy invite families of currently serving service men & women from Quincy to fill out a ribbon on the evening of the event with your service person's name. The Christmas Tree in the Generals Park will be decorated with each ribbon.

For more information, please contact Kerin O'Toole in the Mayor's Office at 617-376-1990 or email kotoole@quincyma.gov



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